"All the News That's Fit to Print."

The New York Times.

THE WEATHER
Cloudy today and Saturday; not much change in temperature; moderate to fresh shifting winds.
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ARMENIA REDUCED TO A TINY STATE BY TURKISH PEACE

Signs Treaty and Retains Only the Region of Erivan and Lake Gokcha.

FORTRESSES ARE EXCLUDED

All Arms to Be Surrendered Except 1,500 Rifles, 20 Machine Guns and 3 Cannon.

SOVIET RULE ESTABLISHED

Alliance to Be Formed With Russia, Azerbaijan and Kemal Pasha's Nationalist Army.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Dec. 9.—A telegram from Constantinople to the French Foreign Ministry received today states that according to information from Angora a peace treaty between Armenia and the Turkish Nationalists was signed at Alexandropol during the night of Dec. 2-3.

All Armenian arms are to be handed over to the Turkish Nationalists except 1,500 rifles, twenty machine guns and three cannon. Armenian territory is to be reduced to the district of Ervan and Lake Gokcha and will not include the fortresses of Kars and Alexandropol.

A Bolshevist wireless message at the same time announces that a Soviet régime has been set up at Erivan and that accord will be made between the Soviet republics of Armenia, Russia and Azerbaijan and the Kemalists.

This news is taken as the text of a note in the semi-official Temps explaining away reported differences between the French Foreign Ministry and M. Viviani at Geneva. The Temps says:

"The entry of the Turks into Armenia and the revolution in that country, which appears to have placed the Soviet in power, have completely changed the conditions under which the League of Nations had to consider the request for admission made by Armenia. Instructions given by the French Government to the members of the French delegation before their departure for Geneva were to support the Armenian request."

The explanation is then given that the request was made by the Armenian Government which signed the Treaty of Sèvres and that it was only natural that France should wish to give it support.

"But," continues the Temps, "since then political and military events have completely overturned the situation in Armenia. Deprived of an independent Government—for the Government at Erivan appears to be only the creation of the Bolsheviki—Armenia appears today to be reduced to absurd dimensions by the armistice which the Turks have imposed.

The League of Nations would appear to sanction this state of things if it admits among its members the 'Government' of Erivan. The admission of Armenia to the League is therefore adjourned by reason of the circumstances.

"This new fact, however, does not detract from the correctness of the policy previously followed by the French Government and followed by the French delegation at Geneva."

That this note is intended to make honorable amend to the feelings of Viviani is obvious.

Details of Terms as Received Here.

Announcement of a "formal armistice" between the Turkish Nationalists and Armenia came in cable advices to the Near East Relief here yesterday from Sanain, frontier customs and railway station between the Republics of Georgia and Armenia.

By the terms of the armistice the Sanain dispatch, dated Dec. 4, said a neutral zone, about sixty-eight miles long, had been provided for between Sanain at Alaguez, the second highest mountain in Armenia, and thirty-four miles northwest of Erivan, the Armenian capital. Other boundaries were unknown in Sanain. A commission of three Turks and three Armenians, to control the neutral area, were to have arrived Dec. 6.

The territory in the neutral zone includes the important Armenian city of Alexandropol, and Karakliss, Delijan, Hamamloo, Bash-Abaran, Akhta, Khoroum, Bandamal and a score of other towns.

Under the amistice terms, the Sanain message said, all troops except officers and six soldiers in Karakliss are to withdraw eleven miles from the zone. Refugees are permitted to return into the area, but it is unknown whether any guarantee of their safety had been provided.

The Armenians under the armistice were to deliver to the Turks 2,000 rifles, 60 machine guns, 2 locomotives and 560 cars.

The report had been confirmed, it was added, that the Turks were massacring the inhabitants of two villages near Hamamloo in alleged reprisal for the killing of two Turkish soldiers by civilians. No other massacring was reported.

Crushed Between Two Forces.

This latest development in the Armenian situation, in which President Wilson has agreed to act as mediator for the League of Nations, shows Armenia's helplessness under pressure from the north and south by the Russian Bolsheviki and the Turkish Nationalists under Kemal Pasha, officials of the Near East Relief said.

Colonel William N. Haskell, for more than a year after the European war the joint High Commissioner in Armenia for

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Kew Gardens Inn, Kew Gardens, L. I. Residential suburban hotel (American plan). 16 minutes from Pennsylvania Station.—Advt.

Chicago to Use Gas Grenades To Cow Barricaded Criminals

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Chicago policemen are to use grenades in their warfare against criminals who barricade themselves in temporary forts. Chief of Police Fitzmorris said today that the grenades would be ready in two weeks.

"The Health Department and the Engineering Bureau have worked out a scheme to cork ammonia gas in hand grenades," said the chief. "A four-inch fuse, attached to the lead plug, will melt the lead and release the gas after the grenade has been thrown into the barricaded building. The gas will cause the most hardened criminal to seek the open air."

5 DIE IN 52 MINUTES IN SING SING CHAIR

"Give Her the Gas, Kid; I'm Taking It With a Smile," Says Cassidy, Adjudged Insane.

USEFOF FIRST, DENIES GUILT

Four Slayers of Bronx Subway Ticket Agent Hope for Reprieve Until the End.

Special to The New York Times.

OSSINING, N. Y., Dec. 9.—After a long day waiting in unrealized expectation of a new trial, five men were executed at Sing Sing Prison shortly before midnight. Four of the men—Joseph Usefof, Charles McLaughlin, Joseph Milano and James P. Cassidy—were convicted of killing Otto Fialo, a ticket agent at the Intervale Avenue subway station in the Bronx, on Nov. 14, 1918. The other was Howard Baker, the twenty-year-old father of three small boys, who was put to death for killing William De Greff, a night watchman at Wolcott, N. Y., near Rochester. It was Baker's fourth wedding anniversary.

The events of the fivefold execution came as a climax to one of the most trying days the prison officials have ever endured. Usefof, whom Milano once exonerated of guilt in a confession which he afterward retracted, protested his innocence the moment before the death helmet was placed upon his head. Cassidy, the last to be executed, sang as Milano, the next to the last, was led from his cell.

Usefof Protests His Innocence.

The executions proceeded rapidly. Usefof entered the death chamber at 11:05 and was pronounced dead at 11:15. "You see an innocent man dying tonight," he said, as he sat in the chair. Then, as he noticed Warden Lewis E. Lawes among the witnesses:

"Thank you, Warden. You have been a kind man."

Baker entered the death chamber at 11:17 and was dead at 11:26. "Goodbye, boys," he called to the other occupants of the death cells as he was led from his own. To Dr. Squire, the head prison physician, he said:

"I appreciate everything you have done."

McLaughlin entered at 11:29 and was dead at 11:36.

"God bless you, boys," he called to his remaining companions, as he left his cell. "I got the old smile on my face."

Milano entered at 11:37 and was dead at 11:46. He, too, called "Good-bye" as he left his cell.

"Angelo, I hope you get a new trial," he called back to Angelo Giordano, condemned murderer awaiting the result of an appeal.

Cassidy, whose mentality was believed to be feeble, began to sing "Oh, What a Pal Was Mary" as Milano walked to the death chamber. The last of the five, he entered the room at 11:48 and was dead at 11:57.

"Give Her the Gas, Kid," Says Cassidy.

"I know I've done wrong," Cassidy said, as he sat down in the chair. "I know I'm paying for it. Hello, Warden, I see you back there, Old Timer."

"Tighten 'em up," he added, as the attendants began to buckle the straps to fasten him in the chair. His last words were:

"Give her the gas, kid. I'm taking it with a smile."

Usefof was accompanied to the chair by the Rev. Dr. Jacob Katz, the Jewish chaplain. Baker, McLaughlin, Milano and Cassidy received spiritual consolation from the Rev. Father William E. Cashin, the Catholic chaplain. In determining the order of execution Usefof was selected to go first as the most likely to break down, and those considered less likely to collapse under the strain were sent to the death chamber later.

The four Bronx prisoners did not entirely lose hope, even when ordered to put on their black "death" clothes. They had donned them once before, on April 29 last, and were within three hours of the time set for their execution when Governor Smith granted a reprieve. The Governor intervened at that time because Milano made a written confession, saying that Usefof was innocent, and that Cassidy and McLaughlin were mentally unsound and easily led. Milano afterward repudiated this confession, and there was a feeling among the prison officials that he might repeat this confession at the threshold of the death chamber.

Special Effort to Save Cassidy.

A special effort was made to obtain a reprieve for Cassidy upon the ground that he was mentally defective. Thomas J. O'Neill, one of Cassidy's counsel, sent word to the prison that he had forwarded to Governor Smith a copy of testimony taken in New York City last night before Michael J. Horan, Supreme Court referee, in an attempt to get the

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"HAVANA SPECIAL." Only Direct Through train. Atlantic Coast Line. Office, 1216 Broadway. Tel. Longacre 5865.—Advt.

PREMIER TO TELL DECISION ON IRELAND IN COMMONS TODAY

One Report Is That It Means Martial Law, Another That He Invites a Truce.

HEARS COLLINS'S ATTITUDE

Archbishop Is Said to Have Carried Message, but Collins Denies Advances.

CABINET MAY OFFER TERMS

Announcement of Conditions for Official Negotiations Are Expected, London Times Says.

LONDON, Dec. 9 (Associated Press).—It is announced that Premier Lloyd George will make an important statement on Ireland on the opening of the House of Commons at noon on Friday.

The terms of the statement were doubtless discussed at the conference between the Premier, Andrew Bonar Law, the Government leader in the Commons; Sir Hamar Greenwood, Chief Secretary for Ireland, and several officials of the Irish Department which was held at the Premier's official residence in Downing Street this afternoon, but no official indication was given tonight as to what had been decided.

Many reports are current in the lobbies as to what the Premier is likely to say. It is believed in some quarters that he will announce the possibility that the Government will declare martial law in Ireland, although at the same time indicate the readiness of the Government to enter into conversations with the moderate Sinn Feiners with a view to a settlement.

The parliamentary correspondent of The London Times says that the Premier is expected to announce more fully than heretofore the conditions on which the Government is willing to open official negotiations and may indicate how far he regards the Sinn Fein conditions acceptable.

Official circles do not conceal that the Premier desires a settlement, but intimate that he is uncertain as to whether the present moment is most propitious.

Both The Times and The Daily Mail emphasize the importance of the Premier's interviews with Archbishop Clune of Perth, Australia, who had been interviewing Sinn Feiners in Ireland. The Mail asserts that the whole position has been considerably changed by the Archbishop's message from Michael Collins, Commander of the Republican Army.

It is understood the impression was given that Collins and other Sinn Fein leaders were extremely desirous of a truce, and were prepared to take definite steps to secure it.

Dublin Castle Refers to "Negotiations."

DUBLIN, Dec. 9.—The press reports that the Government has entered into negotiations with the Sinn Fein leaders are alluded to in Dublin Castle's weekly summary of events as a matter interesting all sections of the Irish public.

The Castle's statement neither confirms nor denies the accuracy of the reports, but remarks that there is no doubt that a vast majority of the people are anxous for a setlement in order to be relieved of "the present abnormal conditions, endangering personal liberty and property."

The relaxation of the curfew restrictions for Christmas week here is in contemplation in official quarters, it was learned today.

Martial Law Near, Is One Report.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—The Daily Chronicle political correspondent says:

"The Government has considered anew the dangerous state of affairs in Ireland, and is ready to enforce at once martial law in the more disturbed areas. This is one of the imminent possibilities of the situation."

Referring to Archbishop Clune's visit to Premier Lloyd George, the correspondent says:

"Whether it be the truth or not, as is stated, that Archbishop Clune had a message to deliver from Michael Collins, it is possible that he has some light to throw on the position of the extremists in the Sinn Fein movement."

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DUBLIN, Dec. 9.—The rumored peace suggestions are dealt with in a long letter from Michael Collins, Commander in Chief of the Irish Republican Army, whom the authorities are seeking to arrest, published in The Irish Bulletin tonight.

Collins declares that only the elected representatives of the Dail Eireann are competent to express the will of the Irish people. He points out that "President" de Valera is in America and that Arthur Griffith, who had been acting in his absence, is in prison, and adds:

"It is while these two heads of our movement are so placed that others rush in to talk of a truce and willingness to have peace. Ireland has always wished for peace, but Ireland is not the aggressor. Her acts of force are acts of self-defense, if the aggression ceases there will no longer be any need for defense."

Referring to the interview which Arthur Henderson gave on the result of his mission to Ireland, Collins says:

"Arthur Henderson is represented as saying that 'he came into contact with every school of thought, political, religious and economic.' From this people might think he had been in consultation with the Dail Eirann. Such is not the case. On his own initiative he went into Mountjoy to see Mr. Griffith. He said

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PALL MALL Rounds round in shape—at better class shops.—Advt.

Vienna Youth Loses Millions at Baccarat; Julius von Szemso, 'Social Vampire,' Arrested

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

VIENNA, Dec. 9.—One of Vienna's most debonnair social vampires was arrested today in the person of Julius von Szemso, a Hungarian aristocrat, aged 39.

He has been in contact with the police on previous occasions, but his arrest is made this time on the charge that at a game of baccarat in his private house he and his brother won no less than 28,000,000 kronen, or nominally more than $5,000,000, from a young Viennese aged 21, whose name has not been disclosed.

It seems that the two Szemso brothers were nearing the end of their financial resources, despite their ostentatious life, and resorted to shearing this young lamb, who is the son of a rich manufacturer. They invited him to the house of Julius for a social evening, but the young innocent found only the two brothers present. They proposed a game of baccarat and stipulated that though they played for kronen the losses should be paid in some foreign currency, dinars being ultimately agreed upon. A dinar is a Serbian coin, twenty-five of which in peacetime equal about $5.

At the end of two hours' play the young innocent found to his horror that he had lost 28,000,000 kronen and was obliged to sign seven bills of exchange for 2,000,000 dinars, this, it was said, being the converted value. In case of trouble with the police the sum was stated on the bills to be in consideration of a loan of 28,000,000 kronen received from Szemso. Even here, however, the young innocent has been swindled. Szemso having calculated the dinars at twice the rate of exchange prevailing.

Julius Szemso is well known in certain strata of society as "the man with the yellow gloves," owing to his habit of wearing such gloves when playing cards at various clubs. He lives in a house called the Palais Szemso, where he keeps a large establishment of servants, six motor cars, seven race horses and two milch cows, these being considerable of a rarity here nowadays. His adventures have long been a subject of conversation.

He has been previously arrested for engaging in what is known as valuta smuggling, or smuggling currency across the frontier, and for having illegally stamped Austrian kronen notes so as to give them a higher value. Similar charges were also preferred against him in Budapest.

His matrimonial affairs are in keeping with his general conduct. He has had many matrimonial adventures, and not long ago his present wife caused some diversion in a fashionable restaurant here by throwing vitriol in the face of a married lady of whom she thought she had grounds for jealousy.

MISS TEVIS, CALLED ON PHONE, ENDS LIFE

Sister of Mrs. J. T. Talbert, Widow of National City Bank Vice President, a Suicide.

SENDS BULLET INTO HEART

Girl, 18 Years Old, Had Been Cheerfully Awaiting a Call From an Admirer.

Twenty minutes after an unnamed youth with whom she had become infatuated during a ten days' acquaintance had broken a social engagement with her by telephone last night, 18-year-old Betsy Tevis, a Richmond, Ky., belle, lay dead in a fashionable apartment at 110 East Fifty-fourth Street with a bullet in her heart.

The young girl had lived at that address since last October with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Truitt Talbert, the widow of J. T. Talbert, who until his death last May was a Vice President of the National City Bank and one of the better known financiers of New York.

The precise circumstances which surround Miss Tevis's suicide probably never will be made public. The family maintained such reticence as the necessary official investigation would permit, and only a fragmentary account of the strange romand and its tragic culminatio was learned through official sources.

Miss Tevis was described by attendants at the apartment house, where she shared a six-room suite on the fifth floor with her sister, as a beautiful girl with a wealth of blond hair and a sunny disposition.

She joined her sister in Pasadena, Cal., last May, when her brother-in-law was mortally stricken, and remained with her.

Shoots Herself After Phone Call.

Mr. Talbert, whose ill-health had forced his resignation from the National City Bank in 1918, died there, and the two sisters, inseparable companions, came back to New York.

Miss Tevis, it is said, had no occupation except such amusements and interests as come naturally to a young girl of some wealth and social position. Just before 8 o'clock she was whiling away the time before an expected visit by alternately drumming gaily on the piano or playing lively music on a phonograph.

Just at 8 o'clock Miss Tevis was called to the telephone. The conversation was brief, and Detective Culhane, who was sent from the East Fifty-first Street Station to investigate the suicide, did not learn its nature. That the caller was the young man the girl had learned to love, Mrs. Talbert was sure, for she told the detective, he said, that Miss Tevis left the telephone appearing much distressed and went silently into her own room.

Almost immediately after the bedroom door was closed Mrs. Talbert heard a single shot.

Miss Tevis had not bothered to lock her door. She lay on the floor, the gown which she had donned in anticipation of her visitor stained over the heart. Near her right hand lay an automatic pistol.

A Japanese man servant employed by Mrs. Talbert was absent, so the sister raced into the hall and called Thomas Hawthorn, the elevator operator. Hawthorn rushed his car to the ground floor and ran across the street to the office of Dr. Charles Meding of 113 East Fifty-fourth Street.

Dr. Meding found Miss Tevis beyond help when he reached her. He notified the East Fifty-first Street police station. In the meantime, Mrs. Talbert, not satisfied that her sister was dead, telephoned for the family physician, Dr. Herman F. Sheffield of 127 West Eighty-seventh Street. Dr. Sheffield could only confirm the statement of the doctor who preceded him, that the girl was dead.

Pronounced Case of Suicide.

From the County Medical Examiner's officer, Dr. T. A. Gonsales of 143 West 121st Street, was sent to the house. He conferred with the sister and a few close friends who had been summoned, and pronounced it a case of suicide. Both Dr. Gonsales and Detective Culhane agreed that it could have been nothing else, since the girl's left breast

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Philadelphia Sunday Excursion Dec. 12 via New Jersey Central, $3.00; leave W. 23d St. 8:17, Liberty St. 8:30 A. M. Tax 24c.—Advt.

5 UNIONS COMBINE IN CLOTHING FIGHT

About 400,000 Needle Workers in Alliance Which Aims to Control Eastern Situation.

PLEDGE UNQUALIFIED AID

Manufacturers' Counsel Assails Combination as an Unlawful Menace to Society.

Charging that the Clothing Manufacturers' Association of New York in severing relations with the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America has aimed a blow at the foundations of unionism, delegates of four other international needle trades unions yesterday pledged their "unqualified support of the clothing workers in the fight that has been forced upon them." The delegates met at the Hotel McAlpin to form an offensive and defensive needle trades alliance and represented about 400,000 needle workers. The working plan of the alliance probably will be completed today.

The largest international represented in the formidable combination of unions—all of which are to preserve their autonomy—is the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America itself, with 177,000 members. Next comes the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union, with 160,000 members. Benjamin Schlesinger, who recently returned from Moscow, where he conferred with Lenin, is President of the garment workers. Like the Furriers' Union, with 12,000 members, the Journeymen Tailors, with 5,000, and the United Cloth Hat and Cap Makers' Union, which has 15,000 members, the Garment Workers' Union is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. The Amalgamated is not and there is said to be no love lost between the two.

It was pointed out last night that the alliance, from a central directing group of union heads, would control the manufacture of wearing apparel in this and other Eastern markets, and it was further learned that the alliance had not yet been sanctioned by the American Federation of Labor.

Benjamin Schlesinger, who has been looking to the formation of such an alliance since 1916, declared at the close of the meeting that the plan which would probably be accepted today had been formulated in essential details at the convention of the International Ladies' Garment Workers Union at Chicago last May. He added emphatically that it had not been designed to oppose organized labor—the American Federation of Labor—in any way and would not in any way be antagonistic to the labor organization headed by Samuel Gompers

Schelesinger headed the delegation of officers of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union, and was Chairman of the meeting. Sidney Hillman, General President of the Amalgamated; Abraham I. Shiplacoff, General Manager of the Amalgamated, and several other officers, represented that union. Thomas Sweeney and James Bolander represented the Journeymen Tailors. Morris Kaufman, Manager of the Furriers' Union, headed his delegation. Max Zuckerman and Max Kaplan the Cloth Hat and Cap Makers.

The resolution pledging support to the clothing workers also charged the manufacturers with attempting to bring about a return to the "sweatshop" system. It said:

"We, the delegates representing the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union, the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, the Journeymen Tailors' Union, the International Fur Workers' Union, the United Cloth Hat and Cap Makers' Union, with a total membership of 400,000, assembled at the Hotel McAlpin, for the purpose of forming a needle trades' alliance,

"Recognize that the clothing manufacturers of New York and Boston have declared war on the clothing workers of these cities by breaking relations with the unions, summarily dismissing the Impartial Chairman and destroying the machinery of government in industry, hoping thereby to bring about a return to the sweat-shop system.

"We do hereby condemn the action of the manufacturers as a move calculated to destroy the organization of the clothing workers and to throw industry back to the old sweat-shop system from which the needle trades have suffered; and,

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SIX (6) BELL-ANS in a Little HOT Water for INDIGESTION. Quick relief.—Advt.

CABLE DEADLOCK WITH JAPANESE REFERRED TO SENATE

Conferences Over the Control of the Yap Station Reach a "Delicate" Stage.

SPECIAL RIGHTS CLAIMED

Tokio Refuses to Sign Convention With Us Unless These Are Recognized.

COMMITTEE HEARING TODAY

Acting Secretary Davis to Meet Foreign Relations Committee in Executive Session.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—A deadlock between the United States and Japan regarding the control of the cable station on the Island of Yap in the Pacific has developed such proportions that the State Department has laid the situation before the Foreign Relations Committee of the Senate. Norman H. Davis, Under-Secretary of State, will appear before the committee tomorrow at an executive session to explain the details of the Yap cable situation, which was declared by informed officials to be "most delicate."

Differences between the United States and Japan regarding the disposition of the former German cable system in the Pacific have marked the discussions of the international cable conference, which has been in session at the State Department for several weeks. While the Department has declined to make public the progress of the conference, it is common gossip that Japan has insisted on retaining the German cables in the Pacific, notwithstanding the strong representations to the contrary by this Government.

The result has been refusal by Japan to enter into a communications convention with the United States, it is understood, unless this Government recognizes special Japanese rights in the former German cable system, including the important central station on Yap.

The State Department has been unofficially informed that a convention which vested special control over the Yap station in the Tokio Government would probably be enaccessizle to the Senate. In consequence, Mr. Davis will lay the entire matter before the Foreign Relations Committee tomorrow. It is probable that the results of this discussion will furnish the basis for further representations to the Japanese Government.

The Navy Department has opposed relinquishment of the Yap cable station to Japan. The views of the naval authorities have been communicated to the Department of State as well as to members of the Senate.

The fact that the State Department has found it necessary to lay the matter before the Foreign Relations Committee at this time indicates, it is said in Senator circles, that the situation has assumed "serious aspects" which may require action before March 4.

The Yap station links Shanghai with the main cable from San Francisco to the Dutch East Indies. It is also a link in the alternative cable route from Guam to Manila. Under Japanese control the Shanghai terminus of the cable has been transferred to Tokio and is being used by the Nippon Government to advance Japanese commercial interests in the Dutch East Indies.

Control of the Yap station by Japan would give the Japanese Government a cable base within 500 miles of Guam and directly in the line of projected cable extensions between Guam and Manila.

The future of Yap was discussed at the Peace Conference and it was proposed that the United States be permitted to acquire control. Japan opposed this suggestion because she regarded Yap as an important factor in her expansion in the Caroline and Marshall Islands.

While the Peace Conference reached no decision, there was an informal understanding that Japan should have special rights over all former German properties in the Pacific, north of the equator, and that Australia and New Zealand should similarly acquire the German islands south of the equator. This arrangement would give Japan the Caroline and Marshall Islands, with a few hundred miles of Guam and directly between Hawaii and the Philippines.

This division of the German Pacific islands has never been acceded to by the United States, owing to the failure of the Peace Treaty.

Mob at Santa Rosa, Cal., Lynches Three Murderers

SANTA ROSA, Cal., Dec. 9.—At midnight tonight a mob of citizens stormed the Sonoma County jail at this place, removed the three gangsters who shot and killed the Sheriff of this county and two San Francisco detectives and lynched them by hanging.

COURT RESTORES 26 IN SCIENCE CHURCH

Ousted Because They Are Followers of Mrs. Stetson, Members Say.

RECEIVED NO HEARING

Trustees Agree to Take Them Back When Application Is Made for Mandamus Writs.

A serious rift in the First Church of Christ, Scientist, Ninety-sixth Street and Central Park West, representing on one side the followers of Mrs. Augusta E. Stetson, and on the other the opponents of the doctrines of the excommunicated former leader of the church, was brought to light yesterday when twenty-six members of the congregation, who had been dropped from the rolls by the trustees, ostensibly because of their failure to regularly attend services, procured their reinstatement before Justice Cohalan. The dispute bids fair to rival the controversy between the directors of the mother church in Boston and the trustees of the publication society for control over Christian Science publications.

Justice Henry D. Hotchkiss on Wednesday signed twenty-six orders to show cause why writs of mandamus should not issue against the officers of the church, and they were returnable before Justice Cohalan yesterday. The writs were to compel the Trustees to restore the twenty-six individuals to membership, and when the application for the writs was consented to by counsel for the Trustees the twenty-six deposed members were automatically restored to their rights. The deposed members maintained that they had been dropped from the church without due notice and without an opportunity for a hearing.

Although fifty other members are alleged to have been dropped from the rolls of the church during the last year, action against the twenty-six who contested the matter in court was taken by the trustees at a meeting on Nov. 27 last and notices sent the members on Dec. 3. Their action subsequently was reconsidered by the trustees with the result that G. G. Franciscus, counsel for the latter body, yesterday admitted the truth of the allegations of the members deposed without hearing or prior notice, consented to an order of the court for their reinstatement and agreed to notify these members of their reinstatement.

Non-Attendance Is Denied.

In their affidavits, the twenty-six deposed members set forth that their names were dropped from the membership rolls ostensibly because of their failure to attend regularly the meetings of the congregation for a period of a year, as is required by the by-laws of the church. They denied there had been any failure on their part to attend the services regularly.

That their dismissal was in reality an attempt on the part of the governing board of the local church to eliminate the followers of Mrs. Stetson, was the charge of Clarence A. Barnes, of Boston, who came to New York to confer with Barry, Wainwright, Hatcher & Symmers, counsel for the deposed members. When asked what were the motives back of the action against the members, Mr. Barnes said:

"The issue raised by the dismissal of the twenty-six members of First Church of Christ, Scientist, New York City, is a far reaching one. All of those dismissed are students of Augusta E. Stetson. They believe that her teaching is the true teaching of Christian Science as based on the teachings of Jesus Christ and as promulgated in the writings of Mary Baker Eddy.

"The Directors of the Mother Church for the last ten years and the Trustees of many of the branch churches have, upon one pretext and then another, been striking from the membership rolls students of Augusta E. Stetson. Up to the present time no effort has been made by these students for reinstatement, but the situation has developed now to a

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SPRINKLER TRUST PUT PRICES UP, CUT COMPETITION

Collusive Bidding and 150 Per Cent. Increase Shown at Housing Inquiry.

BRICK TRUST PROFIT 155%

Architects Recommended 6 Per Cent. Fee, but Witness Denies It Was the Rule.

SAND MAN IN CONTEMPT

Refused to Produce Books of Board—Quotation Cards Still Missing.

Under the guise of "promoting open competition" a group of nine automatic sprinkler manufacturers and their licensees, doing an interstate business, combined to fix prices by means of exchanging information and bids on contracts through the medium of the New York Automatic Sprinkler Association, according to testimony before the Lockwood committee yesterday by Louis K. Berman, Secretary of the association and Vice President of the Raisler Sprinkler Company of 129 Amsterdam Avenue.

Berman testified that bids on each job were furnished by the members to the association, and each member was permitted to have a copy of the bids. The data for estimating on materials were obtained by the members from a central bureau known as the Fire Prevention Survey Bureau, and the estimates were made on standarized forms, the amount of the bid appearing on the bottom of the page.

Each of the members in the association, which included some of the large fire sprinkler concerns in the United States, had a code number by which it was known in the association. In addition to the local association there was also a National Automatic Sprinkler Company, which included only these manufacturers. The by-laws of the local association were changed on Sept. 30, 1920, Berman said, and thereafter net prices were omitted from the estimate sheets. The members scrupulously refrained from discussing prices at meetings, he said, upon advice of counsel, but the practice of obtaining each other's bids continued.

155 Per Cent. Profit on Brick.

As a result of the examination of the books of the Empire Brick and Supply Company, of which Wright D. Goss is President, Marvyn Scudder, accountant for the committee, said that the net profit on brick by the company was 89.26 per cent. in 1919 and 155¼ per cent. for the first six months of this year, using figures supplied by the company without dispute.

The cost of brick to the company in 1919 was $11.22 7-10 a thousand and the selling price $21.25 a thousand. The cost for the first six months of this year was $11.25 and the selling price $28.75.

Mr. Scudder told the committee that it took two men two days to make the investigation and that the balances supplied by the company, together with their own figures on depreciation and other items, were allowed.

In an endeavor to show that the architects of the country were banded together by a national association and local associations and fixed uniform fees, Mr. Untermyer called as the last witness of the day Bert L. Fenner of McKim, Mead & White. Mr. Fenner, who is also President of the New York Chapter of the American Institute of Architects, with branches in forty States, denied that any such thing as a "Code of Practice" existed. He admitted that the national association issued a "document" called "The Professional Practice of Architects."

The document stated that the minimum charge for architects' professional services "is 6 per cent." Mr. Untermyer stressed the word "is," but Mr. Fenner maintained that the charge was not mandatory. He admitted that the practice of charging 6 per cent. was generally observed and sought to explain that what was meant was that the 6 per cent. was a "fair charge."

Among the other statements in the "Practice of Architects" was one which set forth that if an owner of a building used old material in construction he was to pay the same fee to the architect as if he had used new materials. Fenner denied that the practice acted as a check to young men, preventing them from asking less than the fee asked for by the biggest architects. He asserted that fees below the 6 per cent. were taken by architects.

Emanuel Engel, accountant for the Sand and Gravel Board of Trade, was adjudged in contempt of the committee after he had refused to produce certain documents regarding the business of the board. Mr. Untermyer threw some papers on the table in front of Engel and asked him if they were not copies of some of the papers he refused to furnish. He said they were. Engel refused to answer questions on the ground of "professional privilege, the same as a doctor, lawyer or priest."

Mrs. Helen MacDonald, clerk for the Sand and Gravel Board of Trade, produced some of the records which she failed to bring with her the previous day. Leonard Wallstein, associate counsel to the committee, read from the minute book records showed that Engel was engaged to audit the books of the members. Attention was called to the fact that the minutes were not signed, the pages not numbered and the records kept in a loose-leaf book with removable pages.

In his testimony Mr. Berman said that the New York Automatic Sprinkler

Ex-Prosecutor, Unconcious in Street, Thinks He Was Blackjacked; Fall, Police Say

Edward S. Brogan, 31 years old, of 123 West Seventieth Street, formerly an Assistant District Attorney and said to be of counsel for the Sand and Gravel Board of Trade, which has figured in the Lockwood committee investigation, believes he was attacked with a blackjack early today at Sixty-eighth Street and Columbus Avenue.

At any rate he revived from an unconscious condition and went to the West Sixty-eighth Street Police Station, where he was attended by an ambulance surgeon for two lacerations of the scalp. He later went home.

The incident occurred outside the First Field Artillery Armory, on the southwest corner of Sixty-eighth Street and Columbus Avenue. When Mr. Brogan regained consciousness he found that he was holding a blackjack in his hand.

He was of the opinion he was struck more than once, and believed it possible that he struggled with his assailant and obtained possession of the blackjack before he lost consciousness.

The police say the blackjack was in Brogan's pocket and they think it was his own property, a relic of his work on the District Attorney's staff. They believe that he fell on the pavement made slippery by the rain. Bystanders who assisted Brogan were quoted as saying that he had been alone when he fell.

Mr. Brogan served as an assistant under District Attorney Swann and was head of the Bureau on Commercial Frauds, handling several investigations in Wall Street. He resigned from that office about a year ago.

Association was formed two years ago. The following manufacturers were members: The Grinnell Company, Rockwood Sprinkler Company, Globe Automatic Sprinkler Company, the Automatic Sprinkler Company of America, the H. G. Vogel Company and the Independent Aetna Sprinkler Company. The licensees who were members were the Cornell Company, Lasette & Murphy and the Raisler Sprinkler Company. The manufacturers were also members of the National Automatic Sprinkler Company.

Reading from the constitution and by-laws it was shown that the objects of the association included the developing of a system of accounting so that members "might act intelligently as to prices," and "to standardize forms of contracts, estimate sheets and practices and conditions generally, so that competition among the members may not be limited by inequalities."

In reply to a question by Mr. Untermyer, Berman did not think the last clause was "a little paradoxical." If that clause did not mean that the members wanted no "unequal competition" Mr. Untermyer was ready to admit he could not read English.

Emphasizing the word "promote" Mr. Untermyer read another "interesting provision," as follows: "To promote open competition and open prices, and to this end, and from time to time, to make public to members and to others interested, information regarding sales and prices made by members." Berman said that provision was carried out by the association.

It was further provided that the Secretary should prepare "uniform forms to be used as reports of bids made and reports of contracts closed so that open bidding and competition may be observed, and so that the association may also acquire proper statistical information."

The bids, according to the by-laws were to be filed with the Secretary so that they might be open to inspection by members who made bids for the same work. Each member was free to change his bid after making an inspection of his competitor's bid.

The machinery by which the system of filing estimates was conducted was the standardized estimate form, which went into minute detail as to all items that comprise sprinkler equipment.

Change Owing to Fear of Law.

Berman said that the change on Sept. 30, 1920 in the association's practice was made because last April one of the members brought up the question whether an "open price association" was legal or not.

Q.—We won't discuss the question of open price association. You know perfectly well that open price association does not involve members sending their estimates and bids to a central office, and having them open to inspection of all the members before they put in a bid to the person who asks for the bid. A.—We never sent in any estimates until the bid went in to the customer, or simultaneously with it.

Q.—But having sent in the bid, and having exchanged bids among the members, then you had the right to change your bids? A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—So that your ultimate bid would go to the customer after each of your bids had been compared with each of the other bids, bidders in the association, is that right? A.—I don't know what you mean by ultimate bid.

Q.—You met every week? A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—And you had before you these bids? A.—No, we did not. The man could call for it after the contract was closed.

Q.—He had a right to these bids before a contract was closed? A.—He had a right to inspect any other bid.

Q.—Before there was a contract made? A.—Before the contract was made.

Q.—At these weekly meetings these bids were before the members, weren't they? A.—No, sir.

Q.—They were available to the members? A.—They were available to such members as were bidding on the same job.

Q.—They were available before a contract was made to the same members bidding on the particular job? A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Who gave you the idea that is what you call open competition? Where did you get that notion? A.—It would appear to me as if that was open competition.

Q.—It is rather wide open? A.—I think it was very open.

If there were five bids on a job each member was supplied with the five estimates by the Secretary of the association, said Berman. Prices were not discussed by members at meetings because of advice by counsel, he said.

It was decided after one of the members reported that there was a question of legality about the affairs of a similar open price association in the South to dispense with that part of the provisions having to do with prices, pending information from Washington.

Q.—Don't you know that Washington had nothing to do with it, never gave any advice encouragement to this sort of thing? A.—No, I don't know.

Q.—Do you know of any one who received any advice or encouragement from Washington for this sort of thing; don't you know this is not what you call open competition at all, that that is about the most abused phrase in the English language? A.—I don't.

Q.—You do not know that? A.—I do not.

Q.—Are you not aware that everybody who wants to conduct an illegal combination calls it open competition? A.—No, sir.

Competition, Open and Otherwise.

Q.—Don't you know that open competition is a competition where every man attends to his own business and tries to get business away from every other man by not allowing competitors to know his business? A.—I think open-price competition could go further than that; I think you could still know your competitor's business and compete with him, a great deal more than by not knowing it.

Q.—Your idea is that comparison of estimates and bids and the organization of this association and its methods was not for the purpose of obtaining higher prices for all of you, but for the purpose of making competition more bitter and more ruinous than if you had not known each other's bids? A.—It may not have been with that intention, but that is exactly what happened, sir.

Q.—So that the outcome of your association is that your competition is more bitter and more ruinous than if you had no association? A. That is right.

Q.—You know perfectly well that you could have a legitimate association for the purpose of getting one another's engineering advice and engineering skill, without these regulations as to exchanging bids and contracts, don't you? A.—You mean exclusively of that.

Berman said that the local association succeeded an organization known as the Association for Safety Engineering Statistics. Mr. Untermyer examined him on the by-laws of the former organization and he admitted that a by-law of the other body was similar to the provision for the handling of bids in the present association. Asked whether the name of the previous organization was not misleading and deceptive, Berman said it was "not proper."

The witness admitted that all the fire sprinkler concerns in the association obtained information and data for estimate from the Fire Prevention Survey Bureau of which C. H. Parker, former secretary of the local association, is head. He was asked whether the fact that all his competitors had to get information from the same central source was also another feature of "open competition."

"I think it tends toward uniformity of our estimating," he answered.

Sprinklers Up 150 Per Cent.

Berman said that sprinkler apparatus had gone up about 150 per cent. in price in the last two or three years. He was examined during the afternoon session by Leonard Wallstein who questioned the witness on records showing that Parker, of the central estimating bureau, had caused estimates to be increased by notations made on memoranda used by members in making estimates.

Mr. Fenner, the architect, said that about 250 of the leading architects of the city were members of the New York Chapter of the American Institute of Architects.

Mr. Untermyer read the following from the code of ethics of the national institute:

"The architect's professional services consist of necessary conferences, preparation of preliminary studies, &c., for which, except as herein mentioned, the minimum charge based upon the total cost of the work complete, is 6 per cent."

The witness said the local chapter said specifically that the 6 per cent. was not binding. Mr. Untermyer read another statement from the institute's document which said that on residential work it was "proper to make a higher charge." This was necessary, said Fenner, in order to keep architects out of the poorhouse. Another statement said that the architect was entitled to compensation for articles purchased under his direction, though not designed by him.

The document was revised in December, 1908, said Fenner, and has existed for the last fifty years. He said that the amount of fees received by architects had increased with the increased cost of general construction, but the percentages had not increased. He denied that the documents read by Mr. Untermyer were rules.

In reply to a question as to what chance a young architect had with such rules Mr. Fenner said that in many cases they were disregarded by the young men. He said that his own firm, McKim, Mead & White, has for years done work for less than 6 per cent., and no charge of unprofessional conduct had been brought against them.

Q.—You have just told us that this rule of 6 per cent. is generally observed in the architectural profession? A.—Not because it is a rule, Mr. Untermyer.

Q.—You have told us it was generally observed, haven't you? A.—I say the bulk of men practicing architecture in this country are charging, as their basic rate, 6 per cent.

Q.—Haven't you said it was generally observed in the City of New York? A.—Six per cent is the rate of charge which most architects use.

Q.—Won't you answer my question, if you please? A.—I cannot answer it in any other way, Mr. Untermyer. I am trying to give you the exact truth. You have a wrong conception of it.

Architects' Fees Discussed.

Q.—Don't you think it is the right thing to the young men in your profession, and for the stimulation of the business of housing and construction, that you gentlemen should abrogate this professional practice and leave every man morally and legally and every other way free to charge, to compete with you on rates, as well as in other directions? A.—Every man is absolutely free to do so today, Mr. Untermyer.

Q.—Why have you put this forth? A.—As a guide to the public, and the architects, as to what is the value of an architect's services.

Q.—And why have you kept it going for twelve years in this form? A.—For that very reason. We have tried to show what the architect's services were worth.

Q.—As a guide? A.—As a guide, pure and simple.

Q.—As a guide to other brothers in your profession? A.—As a guide to other brothers in the profession, yes.

Q.—And as a guide it has been generally observed? A.—I would not say that. You are putting a wrong implication on that, Mr. Untermyer.

Q.—It is not generally observed in the City of New York. I am making a fight, Mr. Fenner, for the young rising men in your profession, who are fearful of competing with the big men in the profession on the question of rates, and I ask you whether or not this regulation, or practice, or whatever it is, is not a check upon the ambitions and activities and prospects of the young men in the profession, the honorable profession in which you are a leader? A.—And my answer is emphatically no, because the condition which you think exists does not exist.

Asked why not abrogate the regulation, Mr. Fenner said he was willing to do so. A minute later he said he could not abrogate it as it was beyond his power. Mr. Untermyer asked him to try, and the witness declared he did not believe in abrogating it. Mr. Untermyer asked him whether the earning ability of young physicians or lawyers would not be impaired if on entering their profession there existed a regulation by means of which they had to ask prices similar to those of the leaders of the profession. Mr. Fenner denied that such conditions existed in his profession.

Mr. Untermyer asked whether with the enormous rise in the cost of production the witness did not think the fee of the architect should be diminished. The architect said that the profits for his firm had not increased for the last two or three years, while costs had increased.

Sand Cards Missing.

Mrs. Helen MacDonald, clerk for the Sand and Gravel Board of Trade, testified she did not know what had become of the quotation cards she had been asked to bring. Hiram C. Todd of counsel for the board protested against the seizure by the committee of the board's books.

Engel, the accountant, said he made monthly audits of the books of the members for Eugene Clark, the board's secretary. He declined to produce them without permission from Clark and was adjudged in contempt. When asked where Clark was he replied, "Atlantic City." The answer caused an outburst of laughter, as Mr. Untermyer had referred to it as the abode of "the sandmen's convention." Mr. Engel said he had no copies of the reports left, but that he had his working papers. He was given until the afternoon session to produce them and in the afternoon stuck to his refusal. Engel said he expected to be admitted to the bar in January and declared he would fight the question of privilege out as far as the Supreme Court.

The investigation will continue at 10:30 this morning at the City Hall.

ARRAIGN BRINDELL'S AIDES.

Moran and Stadtmuller Face Trial on Charge of Extortion.

Two more members of unions affiliated with the Building Trades Council, Joseph Moran, member of the Dock Builders' Union, and Peter Stadtmuller of the House Wreckers' Union, were arraigned before Judge Mulqueen in General Sessions yesterday on an indictment charging the extortion of $500 from Jacob L. Kaman, President of the Front Street Housewrecking and Lumber Company, to call off a strike on a job the firm had at 303 West Fiftieth Street. This is the second indictment against Stadtmuller. He was released on the previous bail, amounting to $100,000. Moran was required to give $50,000 bail. Both of these defendants, it was said, are personal friends of Robert P. Brindell, President of the Building Trades Council.

Another indictment was returned yesterday by the new Extraordinary Grand Jury. The name and the charge were not made public. Supreme Court Justice McAvoy of the Extraordinary Term of the Criminal Branch issued a bench warrant.

Deputy Attorney General Samuel A. Berger and Assistant District Attorney Robert S. Johnstone joined in a request to Justice McAvoy yesterday for the designation of a new Grand Jury at the January term to succeed the present November Additional Grand Jury to continue its work in the housing and Lockwood investigations. The Court directed Commissioner of Jurors Byrnes to provide for a panel of fifty jurors on Jan. 3.

George S. Backer, a builder, was released in new bail yesterday of $25,000. At this time the prosecution made no mention of a second trial. The jury in the first trial on a charge of perjury disagreed.

TO INDICT CHICAGO RING.

Federal Grand Jury After Builders and Workers in Boycott Plot.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Members of the Cook County Real Estate Board were summoned before the Federal Grand Jury today to add their testimony to that already in the hands of the Government, which proposes a smashing blow at labor unions and building material manufacturers who are alleged to be in a conspiracy to boycott all out of town products.

It is asserted that unions strike on any building where an attempt is made to use material from any other city, even though union made. This prevents competition, and builders must pay prices set by manufacturers and unions.

The Government hopes for indictments under the Sherman anti-trust law. Last Fall carloads of cut to order houses were shipped here to relieve thousands of homeless people, but carpenters forbade the erection of any of these houses, although fabricated by union men in other cities.

STOCK FOR EMPLOYES.

Eight Thousand Shares at $40 Guaranteed to Earn 10 Per Cent.

Morton Lachenbruch & Co. who recently purchased and resold to their clients a block of stock of the Schulte Retail Stores Corporation, yesterday stated that the company had determined upon a plan whereby employes of the company would be permitted to subscribe to 8,000 shares of the common stock. The stock will cost $40 a share, and is to be paid for in full by Jan. 20, 1921. The stock will be delivered by Feb. 1.

The basis of subscription is on length of service in the company. The totals ranging from ten shares to fifty shares, the latter amount being open to subscription by those employed for five years prior to Dec. 1 of this year. The company guarantees that the money invested will earn not less than 10 per cent. for four years no matter what may be the actual dividend declarations. As a further guarantee the company offers to buy back the stock at prices varying from $40 to $64 a share depending on when the stock is offered.

MACSWINEY'S FIGHT RELATED BY WIDOW

She Tells Villard Committee That He Willingly Sacrificed Himself for Ireland.

SISTER APPEALS FOR FOOD

Says Winter Will Be a Hard One and That Irish Children Will Suffer.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Mrs. Muriel MacSwiney today appeared before the special commission of the Villard Committee of One Hundred, and in her testimony related her story of the arrest, imprisonment and death of her husband, Terence MacSwiney, late Lord Mayor of Cork. She showed remarkable self-possession and was an excellent witness, telling her story with a dignified eagerness.

"Is it true that the women of Ireland have steeled themselves so much for their cause that weeping is unknown?" Senator David J. Walsh of Massachusetts asked when the direct testimony was over.

"Oh, I never cried," was the reply.

Mrs. MacSwiney, who is small and slight, wore a black silk dress, laying her mourning hat on the table in front of her. A gold wedding ring, a small silver wrist watch on a leather strap and a gold circle brooch constituted her jewelry.

During her testimony she alluded many times to her baby daughter, now in Ireland. At the end of the hearing Senator Walsh asked how her baby was in health. Her face brightened.

"Oh, very well!" she answered. "Wouldn't you all like to see her photograph. I have it here."

Tells of Husband's Ordeals.

Mrs. MacSwiney's accounts of the numerous arrests of her husband, his efforts on behalf of a free Irish nation and the actions of the British Government in attempting "to throttle Irish development" were punctuated alternately by applause and sobs by her hearers.

Mrs. MacSwiney told of her marriage to the late Lord Mayor in England in 1907, just after her husband had been released from a prison term. She related how their baby was born while its father was in jail in Belfast, and how she daily carried the child to visit the father in prison.

Mrs. MacSwiney recounted the arrest on Aug. 12, 1920, and the beginning of the last hunger strike. Her husband, she said, was charged with having had a code used by the police, and she asserted that this was proper because of his position as Lord Mayor. She was present at the trial and said the Lord Mayor told her then of his intention to continue on hunger strike. She became convinced then, she declared, that he would die of starvation unless the British Government granted his release.

"After my husband made his speech at the trial," she continued, "I guess I became resigned; accustomed to what the future was to bring. The shock came first. It came harder on me then. After that I was reconciled and I was proud of his courage."

As hunger wore down the Lord Mayor's strength, Mrs. MacSwiney said he "absolutely radiated peace and contentment."

"I knew my husband was happy," she declared, "and I never, never would interfere with my husband in a matter of conscience. It was his choice. It was the decision of his life."

Her husband exacted a promise from her, Mrs. MacSwiney said, that she would not insist that he take food. The prison officials, however, said they would not employ forced feeding until the prisoner became unconscious, when they would give him food, Mrs. MacSwiney declared. Accordingly, five days before the Lord Mayor died the prison authorities began feeding him, she asserted, and continued to do so until his death.

Mrs. MacSwiney gave a vivid recital of her experiences with the British officials and charged that the British Home Office had spread propaganda to the effect that relatives of the Lord Mayor were secretly providing him with food.

"That," she exclaimed, "is the sort of lies they use about everything in connection with Ireland."

At the end of the two hours Mrs. MacSwiney paused, looked up and said: "So that's all I have to say."

A few questions put to her elicited the information that while she believes relief is needed to aid the hungry and ill in Ireland, she believes recognition of the Irish Republic is equally necessary.

"Well, I hope you will all help us win our republic, because that was what my husband died for," she concluded.

Miss Mary MacSwiney, sister of the late Lord Mayor, recalled to add details to the story she told the commission yesterday, added to the declaration of her sister-in-law the assertion that the coming Winter would be "Ireland's Valley Forge" and appealed for American aid, not, she said, for the men and women of Ireland but for the children.

"The coming Winter in Ireland," said Miss MacSwiney, "will be hard. The British have destroyed our crops, our supplies of food. The men can get on, the women can stand the suffering, but it is for the children I plead. We must have help this Winter."

Miss MacSwiney expressed the belief that the fatal hunger strike of her brother had greatly benefited the Irish independence movement. She told of the series of telegrams she had exchanged with Premier Lloyd George in an attempt to fix responsibility for her brother's prison sentence and for the treatment he and his relatives had been accorded by the British Government.

Miss MacSwiney gave an account of what she characterized as a conspiracy between officials of Brixton Prison and the British Home Office "to defeat plans of the family to take the Lord Mayor's body back to Cork," because, she said, "the British feared an uprising and they did not want any more trouble than they already had."

"We Irish are no domestic problem of England," she said. "We are an international problem. Our ideals, the ideals of all Irish Republicans are the same, and my plea to the American people is that you at least give fair play and justice to us, for the British stories of the separatist movement do not carry all the facts. We are not divided and we intend that the whole world shall know the truth both of our cause and the misrepresentations of the British."

The commission tomorrow will hear several former members of the Royal Irish Constabulary.

DENOUNCE OR PRAISE NEW YORK RENT LAW

Representatives of Landlords and Tenants Here Are Heard in Bridgeport Conference.

Special to The New York Times.

BRIDGEPORT Conn., Dec. 9.—The opening session of the National Housing Conference held here today under the Chairmanship of D. Fairchild Wheeler, President of the Bridgeport Chamber of Commerce, might well have been held in New York, for the principal address and the arguments that followed were almost exclusively concerning the New York rent laws and were put forth by New York lawyers and New York real estate brokers. The arguments were heated at times, and there were some sharp passages between Harold G. Aron and E. G. Sammis of New York on one side and Edward P. Doyle and D. C. McNulty on the other.

Mr. Aron made the opening speech, in which he defended the New York rent laws. He declared that the landlords had learned that a fair rental was not all that the traffic would bear. He urged legal restraints upon the relations of landlord and tenant, and commended the New York and New Jersey Legislatures' policy of allowing exemptions of taxes on home building, under certain conditions.

E. G. Sammis, counsel for the Housing Committee of the New York Legislature, discussing "the holding over of tenants in possession of premises" and reviewed briefly the development of landlord-tenant law. The tenant, he said, was always conceded to have a theoretical right to the possession of his premises if he paid a fair rental. He declared that "if the landlords get a fair and equitable rental, that's all the justice they are entitled to." He defended the New York rent laws as being what was needed to protect the tenant against the rapacity of speculating landlords.

ROOT AND FALL HAVE 5-HOUR TALK

Senator Denies That Future Action on Peace Was a Subject of Conference.

DID DISCUSS ROOT'S WORK

Ex-Secretary Will See Other Republicans Before Ending His Washington Visit.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Speculation regarding the probable attitude of the Harding Administration toward a peace concord of nations was revived today by a long conference between Elihu Root, former Secretary of State, and Senator Fall of New Mexico.

The latter is regarded as close to President-elect Harding and Mr. Root was a member of the committee which under the direction of the League of Nations drafted plans for an international high court of justice.

Mr. Root spent five hours in conference with the Senator, but it was denied that the peace policies of the next administration were discussed.

"We did not mention or discuss any possible plan of American action," said Mr. Fall, "either as to the present League of Nations or any other association or organization for world peace.

"As far as I am concerned," he added, "my opinion is that we are out of the present League of Nations absolutely."

Senator Fall stated that his conference with Mr. Root was only one such as they were in the custom of holding when occasion afforded. He added, however, that they discussed Mr. Root's work abroad in connection with the international court and other operations of the League of Nations.

Mr. Root was here to attend a meeting of officials of the Roosevelt Memorial Association and the Carnegie Institute, of which he is a member.

He did not visit any other Senator while at the Capitol today, but it was said that he planned to see other Republicans tomorrow before leaving Washington.

ASK HIGHER INTEREST RATE.

New Jersey Real Estate Wants Limit on Mortgages Raised.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Dec. 9.—Revision of the usury laws to permit a higher rate of interest on mortgages was advocated today by Robert Clow Jr., of Camden, President of the New Jersey Real Estate League, at the opening of its second annual convention here today.

The present rate of interest has caused a suspension of home building and consequently a serious shortage of houses, speakers said.

MISS TEVIS, CALLED ON PHONE, ENDS LIFE

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was powder-marked and the finger of her right hand with which she pulled the trigger of the high-powered automatic had been torn slightly in the recoil. The police did not learn how she obtained the pistol.

Miss Tevis was the daughter of Thomas Stone Tevis, of Richmond, Ky. Her mother's maiden name was Belle Root. She, too, was a Kentuckian.

Joseph Truitt Talbert, the brother-in-law of the suicide, was a widely known banker, who died at Pasadena, Cal., on May 8, 1920. He resigned the Vice Presidency of the National City Bank in 1918 because of ill health. During Mr. Talbert's connection with the National City Bank, which dated from 1909, he was active in formulating the national currency bill and this labor is believed to have broken his health. While playing golf at Garden City in December, 1913, he suffered a stroke of paralysis.

Before going to the National City Bank Mr. Albert had been the President of the Chicago Clearing House Association. Previously he had been a national bank examiner in the West and Southwest, following his Vice Presidency of the Continental and Commercial National Bank at Chicago. He was 54 years old at his death. On March 8, 1917, he was married at New Orleans to Mrs. Almira R. Gibson, who was formerly Miss Almira Root Tevis.

PREMIER TO TELL DECISION ON IRELAND

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to Mr. Griffith that he had come to help him to get a truce. Mr. Griffith replied that we were not asking for a truce; that if one were offered we would not reject it, but we did not ask for it. That is the position."

In a review of the week ended on Monday, Dec. 6, Dublin Castle states that in addition to 246 arrests for outrages and political offenses, orders were made for the internment of 545 persons "known to be active members of the so-called Republican Army." The first internment camp at Ballykinlar, County Down, now has been opened and already contains about 200 internees.

Henderson Again Criticises.

HOUGH GREEN, Lancashire, England, Dec. 9 (Associated Press).—Arthur Henderson, who has just returned from Ireland, where he went on a trip of inspection with the Labor Commission, said in an address here tonight that if British statesmanship was not equal to the opportunity which he now was convinced was open, a hopeless situation, so far as Ireland was concerned, was bound to arise. It was impossible for him, he said, to exaggerate the deplorable conditions prevailing there.

"Coercion is applied with such indiscriminate violence," Mr. Henderson declared, "that the people are terror-stricken. The unhappy inhabitants are reminded day and night that their country is under the heel of a ruthless military occupation.

"It is actually true to say that life was safer in Brussels during the German occupation than it is now in Dublin and Londonderry. No man is safe. Even women and children run terrible risks of being shot while in the streets. The economic life of the country is coming to a standstill."

The labor leader asserted that he had information from ten persons of their having been robbed by servants of the Crown(who had stopped them.

All this, said Mr. Henderson, could not be dissociated from the Government's policy, which was reactionary in its conception, brutal in its application and destructive in its consequences. He was not saying that all the outrages were on one side, but the reprisals had struck a blow, perhaps mortal, at law and order.

He could only hope and pray that nothing would happen among the unemployed this Winter to give the members of the Cabinet an excuse for applying the same methods at home.

"But," he added, "there is a gleam of light in the darkness. My visit to Ireland has convinced me that there is a possibility of making peace with the Irish people."

He had had many consultations with prominent leaders, and everywhere he went in Ireland he found an earnest desire for peace. There was a willingness, more marked than anything in his experience of the Irish temper, to join in a reciprocal arrangement to secure abandonment of acts of violence and every form of provocation. In that atmosphere it was believed in Ireland that negotiations could be started which would be successful in bringing about a settlement of the constitutional question. If they failed now he was certain that utter chaos would follow.

"Repression more drastic than that Cromwell practised by fire and sword," he declared, "would be necessary to keep Ireland enslaved, and every resource the Irish people possess would be used in such circumstances to awaken the civilized world to the enormity of England's crime."

As the first step to a settlement reciprocal guarantees could be arranged to insure a cessation of actual violence and other provocative acts on both sides, and when that was done a conference should be called of representatives of the British Government and of those in Ireland who could "deliver the goods." He had the fullest assurance, if this were arranged, that the whole influence of the Catholic Church and the Irish Labor movement would be used to prevent acts of lawlessness and violence during the period of the armistice and throughout the negotiations.

TRALEE, Ireland, Dec. 9 (Associated Press).—While officers of the British Auxiliary Forces claim that the guerilla tactics of the Irish Republicans virtually have been broken, the military commanders have informed the members of the Parliamentary Labor Commission which has been visiting Ireland, that they are in no way sure of this.

This correspondent today interviewed General Cumming, commanding the Kerry Brigade, who admitted that he was not making any appreciable headway against the guerrillas, who were able to secrete themselves in the difficult country and severely handicap the mobility of the troops by obstructions of all kinds, such as deep trenches, trees and piles of stone.

General Cumming added that the training the soldiers had received was not suitable for such work and that regiments would have to be constantly relieved.

BELFAST, Dec. 9.—The Rev. O. W. Mehan, senior Catholic curate of Castlebar Parish, County Mayo, who was arrested on Oct. 12 for alleged connection with extensiv raids in that district, was released today. He will be allowed to go to the United States, it was announced.

VILLARD MEN REGRET PASSPORTS REFUSAL

Write British Embassy That They Hope Ruling Barring Them From Ireland Is Not Final.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The unofficial Villard "American Commission on Conditions in Ireland" has sent a letter to the British Embassy expressing regret that the British Government had refused to visé passports for the special committee that wished to investigate in Ireland. The letter says it is hoped that the decision to refuse to visé is not final, because this might be construed as "autocratic interference on the part of the Government with the free communication of friendly peoples." The letter follows:

"The American Commission on Conditions in Ireland, chosen by the Committee of One Hundred, has received your communication stating that visés will not be affixed to the passports of a committee of its members appointed to visit Great Britain 'to investigate conditions in Ireland.' Your statement assumes that the proceedings of the committee would necessarily partake of a quasi-judicial character impossible under the circumstances. We venture to suggest that the embassy has somewhat misunderstood both the situation and our own purpose. A committee of friendly American citizens, deeply devoted of world peace, might in a much simpler manner than you suggest ascertain the state of public opinion both in England and in Ireland and learn facts not now understood in America; indeed, some such step has seemed to the commission imperative, in view of the fact that thus far, in spite of zealous efforts, we have been unable to secure competent witnesses to present testimony on the existing situation from non-republican British and Irish points of view.

"In seeking to send our committee to Great Britain we have but followed the suggestion originally given us by representatives of various groups prominent in both English and Irish life. We had expected that this step would meet with your approval, in view of the fact that in his letter of Oct. 23 Sir Auckland Geddes stated that 'The British Government has more to gain than any one in insuring that the truth is made known to the whole world.'

"It was and is our firm conviction that such a committee as we had intended to send might make plain to the peoples both of England and Ireland the compelling reasons for America's interest. The American people are united by ties of blood to both countries. The Irish question deeply engrosses our people's interest. It is literally a domestic issue within the United States. If the present tragic conditions continue they will menace world friendship and ultimately world peace.

"In view of these facts we cannot but hope that the decision of the British Government is not final. If your letter were to represent the final opinion of the British Government some regrettable conclusions would seem to follow. It would seem to imply autocratic interference on the part of the Government with the free communication of friendly peoples. It would check for the moment a modest but sincere effort toward the formation of international public opinion which could be made to focus upon problems which threaten the peace of the world.

"The commission will continue its work in conformity with its original purpose. It cannot but hope that both in England and in Ireland there will be a full understanding of its friendly purposes, as each day's events make more evident the tragic possibilities inherent in the situation."

ARRAIGN LIVERPOOL SUSPECTS.

Prosecutor Outlines Evidence Connecting Two With Sinn Fein Plots.

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LIVERPOOL, Dec. 9.—Police investigations of the Sinn Fein outrages in Liverpool on Nov. 27 resulted today in Nell Kerr, aged 57, who, the police allege, is implicated in a plot of a national character, and James McCaughey, aged 32, being brought up at the Police Court on serious charges. Kerr was charged with conspiring with others unknown to set fire to warehouses and other buildings in the city on Nov. 27 and other dates.

For the director of public prosecutions it was stated that in Kerr's possession were found a receipt for ten bolt cuters, similar to those found on the sites of the warehouse fires, and documents implicating him in Sinn Fein movements. There was evidence before the police implicating him in a plot which assumed a national character and affected places other than Liverpool.

McCaughey was charged with attempting to murder a policeman on the night of the outrages. Both men were remanded.

COURT RESTORES 26 IN SCIENCE CHURCH

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point where those who believe that Mrs. Stetson's teaching is sound and genuine Christian Science are prepared to meet this issue.

Mrs. Stetson's Stand.

"The teachings as found in 'Science and Health, with Key to the Scripture,' by Mary Baker G. Eddy, are 'that man is immortal, that he is spiritual and not material; that all is life, there is no death' and it was primarily for her standing for these principles that Augusta E. Stetson was excommunicated by the Board of Directors of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, Boston, Mass.

"The fact that these twenty-six members were dismissed on the flimsy pretext of non-attendance is simply another evidence of the ruses employed by the material heads of the Church to destroy the effort being made by those who would preserve in their true spiritual import the teachings of genuine Christian Science as promulgated by Mary Baker G. Eddy.

"The twenty-six members just dismissed and now reinstated by the peremptory writ of mandamus issued by Justice Hotchkiss have not been absentee members, but have been regular attendants and contributors to the Church."

Among those dismissed and reinstated were James B. Whitney, a prominent silk merchant, who was for fifteen years a Trustee and for twenty-five years a member of the Christian Science Church; James F. Crowell, editor, author and lecturer, who also was a Trustee, and Mrs. Alice H. Day, a niece of Henry Ward Beecher.

When their names were dropped from the rolls of the Church the twenty-six automatically were deprived of the right to attend corporate meetings of the Church. The triennial election of readers is held on Dec. 14.

Galen Harris, Chairman of the Board of Trustees, said last night that he did not consider the controversy resulting from the dismissal of the twenty-six members in the nature of a split. He said it was the custom of the church annually to go over its membership rolls, check up the attendance of members and drop those who had failed to attend services regularly.

When asked if the Board of Trustees had finally agreed to the reinstatement of these members he explained that they felt, upon reconsidering the matter, that the board perhaps had not taken action in just the way it should have in that it had not set a date on which the dismissed members should have had an opportunity to be heard.

The members who were dropped from the rolls, then restored, include Walter Fairchild and Mrs. Emma Fairchild, both of Suffern, N. Y.; Mrs. Euphemia G. Holden, Meta P. Blome, 448 Riverside Drive, Mrs. Martha H. Whitney, wife of Joseph B. Whitney; Dr. John Franklin Crowell, former trustee, and his wife Mrs. Carrie P. Crowell, 16 West Ninety-sixth Street; Mrs. Elizabeth B. Eddy, Hotel Ansonia; Miss Harriet N. Brower, 150 West Thirtieth Street; Mr. and Mrs. M. Parish-Watson, and Miss Violet Parish-Watson, 48 West Fifty-ninth Street; Jessie B. Christiancy, Elizabeth J. Berryman, 203 West 109th Street; Clara M. Bridge, 825 West End Avenue; Bertha Hamilton, Dobbs Ferry; Kenneth L. Hamilton, Louise Kreischer, 65 Central Park West; Shirley Thayer Dorrien, 383 Central Park West; Fredericka D. Blome, Miss Anna and Henry Blome of 448 Riverside Drive; Lotse Musson, 322 West Nintieth Street; Fulton Reed, 34 West Ninety-sixth Street, and Miss Sara M. Post, 415 West 115th Street.

Soon after the reinstatement of the twenty-six members was ordered by Justice Hotchkiss, it became known that Campbell McCullough, formerly a first reader of the church, now connected with the publication society, had recently complained to Assistant District Attorney Talley that some one had broken into his desk and made away with valuable documents and papers. He did not charge that this alleged burglary had any connection with the dismissal of the twenty-six members, but strongly intimated as much. He will appear before the District Attorney today to make a formal complaint.

75 GIRLS ARRAIGNED AS SCHOOL TRUANTS

Fashionably Gowned Delinquents Contemptuous of Continuation Law.

Demure young misses and matronly, but none the less very young women whose sophistication was made evident by all the wiles of dress and the arts of cosmetics, confronted Magistrate Brough yesterday in the Municipal Term of the Magistrates' Courts in the Municipal Building when he mounted the bench to hear the weekly round of cases of minors charged with violating the law which requires minors who have not graduated from high school to attend continuation schools at least four hours a week.

High-heeled shoes, open-work hosiery, abbreviated skirts, jewels that scintillated deceptively, all served to testify that, like most of the delinquents arraigned each week, these young women were self-supporting and contemptuous of the efforts of the State to force them to snatch four hours from "life" and devote it each week to education. In some instances the girls—and most of the delinquents are girls—had gone to such lengths to improve upon their natural pulchritude that the Magistrate was moved to chide them sternly or even to demand that they expunge some of the facial decorations and "quit coming here looking like a chorus girl."

There were seventy-five cases in all, there were forty-eight triumphant attendance officers who had rounded them up and there were innumerable (and indignant) parents. The Magistrate struggled bravely with them, admitting his own reluctance to commit any of the offenders to prison and the proven inefficacy of small fines, but when he learned that one young woman, veiled, furred and fashionably gowned, had left the court room with the defiant announcement to whom it might concern that the old judge could send her to school but he couldn't make her learn, he looked a bit weary and hopeless.

QUICK INDICTMENT IN MINGO MINE SHOOTING

WILLIAMSON, W. Va., Dec. 9.—The Grand Jury summoned for the special term of Circuit Court here completed its work today after a session two days and a half. A number of indictments of minor importance were returned.

One of the last acts of the jurors was to indict William Dozier for shooting with intent to kill and wounding George Burgess in the railroad yard here last night. Speedy action was taken by the jury upon the request of Judge R. D. Bailey to investigate the affair.

The military activity to which the people of Williamson and the rest of the strike district have now become accustomed was continued throughout the day. Reports received at Colonel Hall's headquarters showed no disturbance in any part of the field. This condition, it was said, also prevailed tonight.

Convention of Jewish Farmers.

The twelfth annual convention of the Federation of Jewish farmers of America will open tomorrow night with a mass meeting in the Educational Alliance, East Broadway and Jefferson Street, at which the speakers will include Congressman Isaac Siegel, C. W. Larson, Chief of the Dairy Division, United States Department of Agriculture; Cyrus L. Sulzberger and Dr. Nathan Krass.

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CHINA'S PAPER MONEY IS MADE IN AMERICA

THE popular idea is that China invented paper. Anyway, paper was made there when Europe [to say nothing of America] was as uncivilized as the interior of Brazil.

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BULGARIA TO JOIN LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Commission on New Members Decides to Admit Her—France Withholds Approval.

CANADA WINS BUREAU FIGHT

Regret Expressed Over Wilson's Refusal to Help in Disarmament Plans.

REPARATIONS STEP TAKEN

Experts to Meet Dec. 16—Lithuania Asks for Delay in Vilna Vote.

By EDWIN L. JAMES.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

GENEVA, Dec. 9 (by Telephone to Paris).—Commission No. 5 of the League of Nations Assembly today reported in favor of the admission of Bulgaria. France alone opposed it. Strange as it may seem, this was after the receipt of a report from Marshal Foch that Bulgaria had done more than any other of the Central Powers to fulfill her treaty obligations.

British and French troops ordered to move Dec. 1 from Memel to Vilna as the advance guard of the League of Nations army to conduct the Polish-Lithuanian plebiscite have not yet started, it was announced tonight. The delay appears to be due largely to the Lithuanian desire to go slowly owing to the unfavorable attitude of the Soviets toward the League. However, preparations are now complete and it is expected that the troops will move shortly.

A telegram has just been received from the Lithuanians agreeing to the area suggested for the plebiscite but asking a delay of eight months, three for propaganda work, two for preparing electoral lists, one for revision of the lists and two more for the election.

Will Demand Vote on World Court.

The advocates of compulsory jurisdiction for the World Court have decided to take their fight to the Assembly floor and demand a vote. It will be an interesting spectacle because it will show that perhaps three-quarters of the Assembly is in favor of the measure, with the big powers against it. But the latter control the Council and have thus obtained a report recommending that the court's jurisdiction only extend to cases where both parties agree to submit to it.

President Hymans told the Assembly today that if it wishes to finish its labors it must change its methods. He announced that on Saturday he would present a plan for getting the Assembly to speed up. The plan is understood to be a limitation of speeches to ten minutes, except in the cases of those submitting reports and the Chairmen of commissions, and giving the right to the President, with the approval of a majority of the Assembly, to terminate debate.

The leaders have decided that at the next Assembly commissions of forty-one members must be dropped. For this decision there is a twofold reason—that a commission of forty-one cannot do effective work quickly, and secondly, that inasmuch as all the nations are represented on the commissions the Assembly proceedings partake too much of the nature of a rubber stamp indorsement.

Canada Wins Fight on Bureaus.

The Assembly today passed a resolution establishing two bureaus—one to deal with the economic situation and the other with transportation, after it had been agreed that they should be of a temporary and advisory character and should be responsible to the Assembly as well as to the Council. The question of the Health Bureau is to be dealt with tomorrow.

The report of the Commission brought to the Assembly yesterday provided for a great measure of autonomy for the bureaus, and that they should be responsible to the Council. The small nations got the report sent back to the Commission and amendments were agreed to overnight giving the Bureaus the nature of an experiment of which the results will be considered at the next Assembly meeting. In the original report the Bureaus were to have power to make representations to member Governments through the Council with the Assembly paying the bill. It was due to the speech by Delegate Rowell of Canada on the fear of European domination that the power of the Bureaus was trimmed.

Switzerland and Italy repeated today the effort made in commission to have the economic bureau instructed regarding a pooling of the world's raw materials, but the best they could do was to get consent that the bureau should have power to study the question. One of the Swedish delegates made a long speech comparing Europe to a poorhouse, and said that the more fortunate districts of the earth must come to her aid. An Italian delegate then delivered another long speech and President Hymans called attention to the fact that time was being consumed. Several other delegates, however, wanted to make speeches, which they had made in commission without effect, but desired to make again so as to have them published in their home newspapers.

With the insertion of amendments making them "temporary" and "advisory," the Assembly at least adopted the plan for the economic and transportation bureaus.

The reception of President Wilson's note declining to name the consultative members of the Disarmament Committee has been the subject of much disappointment among delegates, who commented on it.

Eager for Links With America.

GENEVA, Dec. 9 (Associated Press).—Regarding President Wilson's negative reply to the League invitation to name an unofficial delegate to co-operate with the commission to be appointed by the Assembly to discuss disarmament, the chief desire of the Assembly members seems to be to maintain as many points of contact as possible with the United States. It was thought that the disarmament investigation afforded an opportunity of which President Wilson could take advantage without committing himself.

Mr. Wilson's decisions regarding the Armenian boundaries have not been received here. It is thought in League circles that his reply has more likely been sent to London or Paris, since it is a matter for consideration by the Supreme Council of the Allies, rather than by the League of Nations.

Dec. 16 was fixed by the Reparations Commission for a discussion of the reparations problem. An official statement by the Reparations Commission says: "The conference of experts appointed by their Governments in accordance with the Franco-British agreement of Nov. 6, 1920, will meet at Brussels on Dec. 16 to discuss the problem of reparations.

The admission of Bulgaria to the League was voted by the Assembly Commission on the Admission of New States. After the reading of the report by Marshal Foch even the "Little Entente" countries, which had been strong in their opposition to Bulgaria, voted for her admission. Rumania, Serbia, Czechoslovakia and Greece had been conducting a fight for several weeks against her entrance, all submitting long documents outlining numerous alleged violations of the Peace Treaty by Bulgaria. Marshal Foch pointed out that Bulgarian disarmament had advanced further than that of any other enemy State, her army now consisting of 23,000 men, instead of 40,000 as contended by the "Little Entente."

The commission decided to permit Armenia, Albania and Georgia to participate in the work of the technical commissions. The admission of Liechtenstein was refused, but it will be allowed to be represented in the League by Switzerland.

The Baltic States were not admitted, and the only remaining question for the commission is the disposition of Lithuania's application.

France refrained from voting on the question of Bulgaria's treaty, ostensibly in order to be consistent in her opposition to German membership.

The representatives of the South American Republics today gave a luncheon to the Spanish delegation to the Assembly.

POLES LAVISH AT BANQUET.

£1,000 Spent by Delegation in Entertaining Twenty Guests.

By G. H. PERRIS.

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GENEVA, Dec. 9.—Hospitality, if in moderation, is a proper and useful accompaniment of international conferences, but I feel bound to ask Ignace Paderewski and the Polish delegation who entertained some twenty guests at the smartest hotel in the city last night whether the expenditure upon such a banquet of £1,000 more or less is a proper sequel to the appeal to the world for funds to combat the typhus epidemic in Poland.

PLEAD FOR JEWISH RIGHTS.

Draft to Be Presented to League—Want Safety in Hungary.

PARIS, Dec. 9 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency).—Dr. Leon Motzkin, Secretary of the Jewish Delegations Committee of this city, left today for Geneva, where with Dr. Nahum Sokolow of the London Zionist Bureau, he will represent the committee when the League of Nations Assembly takes up the matter of Jewish rights. Dr. Motzkin will lay before the Assembly a memorandum covering fully the question of Jewish minority rights.

A Geneva dispatch today says that the Jewish students in Switzerland, through their central organization, have placed a memorandum before the League Assembly calling upon the League to afford protection to the Jews of Hungary. The memorandum cites incidents to show the danger and persecution to which the Jews of Hungary are exposed.

URGES GERMANY AS MEMBER.

Pueyrredon Says She Ought to Be Forced to Join League.

PARIS, Dec. 9.—Suggestions that he is Germanophile in tendency were denied here last night by Honorio Pueyrredon, head of the Argentine delegation, which has withdrawn from the Assembly of the League of Nations. This morning's newspapers print long statements from him in which he explains his position. After repeating arguments which have already been published, he said:

"I do not advocate Germany, and I profess deep admiration for France. My resolution in reference to the action of the Argentine Mission at Geneva was formed in complete independence. I and my colleagues strove to see beyond the war and to ward off, if possible, further disasters.

"I think that Germany should not be admitted as much as forced to enter the League. That seems to me the best means of exercising an effective check on her intentions and of calling her to respect her obligations, if necessary, with penalties."

EXPECT CHILE TO STAY IN.

Officials to Confer on Argentina's Withdrawal at Geneva.

SANTIAGO, Chile, Dec. 9.—A joint meeting of the Foreign Relations Committees of the Senate and Chamber of Deputies with Foreign Minister Alduante and President-elect Alessandri will be held on Friday for consideration of the attitude to be observed by Chile in connection with the retirement of Argentina from the assembly of the League of Nations, according to the Mercurio today. The meeting will probably reach a decision on this point, says the newspaper, which adds:

"Opinion in high Government quarters is that Chile will maintain her present position."

ELECT BRANDER MATTHEWS.

Columbia Instructor Made Chancellor of Academy of Arts and Letters.

Dr. Brander Matthews of Columbia University was elected Chancellor of the American Academy of Arts and Letters and a member of its Board of Directors at a meeting of the board today. He succeeds Professor William M. Sloane, who recently was chosen President of the organization to succeed the late William Dean Howells.

Dr. Matthews was born at New Orleans in 1852. He has been a Professor, first of literature and then of dramatic literature, at Columbia University since 1892. He is the author of several comedies, stories, essays and books of criticism and was one of the organizers of the Authors' Club, The Players and the American Copyright League.

JAPAN PREPARED TO CEDE KIAO-CHAU

Hayashi Declares at Geneva That She Wants to Return It as Soon as Possible.

SAYS CHINA IS HESITATING

Tokio Wants Guarantee of Open Trade—Chinese Government's Weakness Deplored.

By EDWIN L. JAMES.

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GENEVA, Dec. 9 (By Telephone to Paris).—Baron Hayashi, head of the Japanese delegation to the League Assembly and Japanese Ambassador in London, declared in an interview today that Japan was ready to negotiate with China with a view to the restoration of Kiao-chau. He then set forth what he called the great difficulties in the way of a consummation of the arrangement, the most important of which was the weakness of the Chinese Federal Government.

"Japan is perfectly prepared to give back Kiao-chau as soon as possible," he said. "We have already asked China to enter negotiations, but China is hesitating."

Then in a guarded manner the Baron referred to the other foreign concessions in China, indicating that the Japanese were disinclined to leave unless the others did so, too. He said China desired to be a great nation, but could not be such until she is rid of foreigners.

"Japan," he continued, "is prepared to act toward this end, but China must go slowly if she would go surely."

It is not easy to follow Baron Hayashi's reasoning. He said that the Chinese Government was weak, that the real power was in the hands of the Military Governors, who obeyed the Government or not as they wished, and therefore it was very difficult for Japan to carry on negotiations.

"We must be assured that trade in Shantung shall be open," he declared. "We must settle how it shall be open and what guarantees we get that it remains so. Just the other day, for instance, one of the free ports of China was burnt by muntinous soldiers. We must have protection against that."

The Baron does not think much of public opinion in China. He said:

"What they call public opinion is often that of school boys, traders and newspapers. It is often artificial. It always urges the Government to stand firm and does not consider the consequences. This sort of public opinion is laid to the Boxer outbreak. There was Russia coming down from the north and Germany pushing no less actively. There were the British and in the south the French all seeking to extend their spheres of influence.

"This public opinion worked up a feeling against foreigners and against the division of China. So we saw the Boxer revolution and China was punished.

"I say it is difficult for us to deal with China. We see here a bright young man, Wellington Koo. He is a nice boy, but when he goes home he has no power. The Parliament behind him has no power. The army is revolting and half the fleet has joined the rebels. How can we make an enduring treaty with a Government like that?

"China needs a strong man. We wish she could get one to set her in order. Then we could negotiate and give back Kiao-chau, which we intend to do, but first we must have guarantees. Who can give them to us today?"

In conclusion, Baron Hayashi said that great doubts had been expressed of Japan's good intentions toward China, but that this was unjustified. Japan was ready now to open negotiations and had approached China on the subject already, but had got no satisfactory reply. He made it very plain that Japan must have guarantees of freedom of trade before withdrawing her military forces from Shantung, and ended:

"We have the best wishes for the future of China. We hope to see her in ten years sitting here beside us as an equal in the League of Nations."

Southern Pacific Proxy Committee.

The Board of Directors of the Southern Pacific Company yesterday appointed the following proxy committee for the 1921 annual meeting of the company: Julius Kruttschnitt, H. W. de Forest, J. Horace Harding, E. S. Harkness, S. J. Blair and A. P. Humphrey. It was also announced that for the purposes of the meeting books for the transfer of stock will be closed at 3 P. M. March 22, 1921, and will reopen April 7, 1921.

MILNER SUBMITS HIS PLAN FOR EGYPT

Recognition of Independence With Safeguards Against Foreign Aggression Is Urged.

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LONDON, Dec. 9.—The commission on the Egyptian situation presided over by Lord Milner has now signed a unanimous report and presented it to the Government.

This report embodies the recommendations made by Lord Milner's mission, which at first the Egyptian delegation were prepared to accept. Since last August some of the recommendations have not proved acceptable in Egypt, but it is felt now after all that has passed, says The Daily Chronicle's political correspondent, that the only hope of arriving at any understanding is to proceed with the first recommendations, which were based on most careful inquiry by Lord Milner's mission on the spot.

The report makes the following proposals:

1. Recognition by Great Britain of the independence of Egypt and her safeguard against foreign aggression.

2. Acknowledgment by Egypt of Great Britain's privileged position in the Nile Valley and assurance of free access by Great Britain to Egyptian territory in case of war.

3. Maintenance of a British garrison in the sphere of the Suez Canal, probably at Kantara.

4. Control by Egypt of her foreign relations subject to her not making treaties at variance with British policy. Egypt also to have her own diplomatic representations abroad, these last to be confined at first to those countries where Egypt has commercial interests. In other countries the British representation would act for her.

5. After final agreement between Great Britain and Egypt, the capitulations to be done away with and the veto on legislation affecting foreigners to be vested in High Commissioners, negotiations to take place with the powers on the closing of consular courts and the transference of their jurisdiction to mixed tribunals.

6. The system of advisers in the different Egyptian Ministries to cease, but a British official to be appointed to carry out the operations of the Public Debt Commission and another to look after legislation affecting foreigners.

7. The rights of British officials now in the Egyptian service to be safeguarded and compensation provided.

The Cabinet after consideration of Lord Milner's report will probably enter into negotiation with the Egyptian National Assembly on the subject.

British Exchequer's Floating Debt.

In the last statement received by mail, dated Nov. 9, the total floating debt of the British Exchequer showed decrease of £4,228,000 from March 31 and of £25,821,000 from the corresponding November date in 1919. As compared with a year ago, outstanding Treasury bills had been reduced £5,290,000.

FRENCH MINISTRY FACES OVERTHROW

Combined Attack in the Chamber on Premier Leygues's Policy Prepared for Today.

CABINET REPORTED SPLIT

Briand, Poincare and Viviani Rivals for Leygues's Place as Head of Government.

By WALTER DURANTY.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Dec. 9.—The long-threatened offensive against the Leygues Cabinet has burst at last and in the coming days M. Leygues must do battle for his life.

A meeting of the Senate Commissions of Foreign Affairs and Finance yesterday was in the form of artillery preparation. It will be continued today with similar investigations by the same commissions of the Chamber of Deputies, to attend which M. Viviani has come hotfoot from Geneva. Tomorrow a massed attack will be delivered in the Chamber of Deputies which the assailants hope will carry the Government's position by storm.

Nor is it outside pressure alone that the Premier has to fear. There are dissensions in the heart of the Cabinet itself and an announcement this morning that the program of the new army law will be placed before Parliament at the earliest opportunity, despite the known opposition of War Minister Le Fevre, is generally taken to indicate the latter's immediate resignation.

May Outmanoeuvre Adversaries.

But "threatened men live long," says the old proverb, and there are signs that M. Leygues may retain power longer than his opponents imagine. To begin with, he made a decidedly favorable impression before the Senate commissions yesterday. Simply and without oratorical effect the Premier explained to the Senators just what he had achieved in England and why he had been unable to achieve more.

"England is determined to maintain the Sèvres treaty if possible," he said. "From that they will not budge at present. Nothing but events themselves will induce British opinion to put back under Turkish misrule the territories rescued, as the English call it, by the allied victory. Lloyd George has to take that opinion into account. But I have persuaded him to decline to support Constantine or—at least until that Monarch has proved his worthiness, if ever he does—even to grant recognition to him."

As the majority of his hearers, though inclined to be critical, shared the view that events will demonstrate the theoretical correctness of French policy as opposed to that of England, the Premier's explanation was received more readily than might have been expected.

Shortly before his death the great French writer, Octave Mirbeau, made Leygues the subject of a study of the "politician type." With that merciless clarity and precision of which only a Frenchman is capable he dissected his character and career. He retraced step by step his painful climb toward power, insults swallowed, rebuffs ignored, friendships buttressed, hostilities reconciled. He showed how a typical politician should shrink from no expediency however base, from no shift however startling, that might preserve or strengthen his position. The picture he painted of Leygues was that of a man who once he reaches power will cling to it all the more tenaciously because it has cost him so much.

Elements in His Favor.

Hopeless as the position of the Cabinet appears at first sight, the very strength and number of his adversaries is an element in favor of an experienced politician like Leygues. When during the Parliamentary recess he assumed the Premier's mantle from Millerand's shoulders it was generally thought his tenure of office would be nothing more than a temporary makeshift until Parliament met in November, when Briand was expected to succeed him.

It is no secret, however, that Briand is experiencing much more difficulty in forming a Government than he expected. There are two other Ruperts in the field, MM. Poincaré and Viviani, both ex-Premiers, also, and no less desirous than Briand to be head of a new combination. Any one of them could certainly overthrow Leygues and form a new Government were the support of the other two assured him—perhaps even with the support of one—but their mutual desire to be leader negatives a union of all three and each is sufficiently astute to prevent the co-operation of the two others.

It may be taken for granted that Leygues will miss no advantage given him by this dramatic situation. Like a Captain in a rockbound sea, he steers his leaky bark to avoid one danger after another. Always ready for concessions, he knows his Parliament, and will miss no chance in the game of playing his adversaries against one another.

Three important debates are foreshadowed in the brief period before the end of the year—discussion of foreign affairs and the Greco-Turkish problem, the new army law and, last but not least, the budget for 1920. If, as is expected, a meeting of the experts of the Reparations Commission is held next week at Brussels, the still more prickly subject of reparations may come to complicate the French political situation. On any one of these matters the struggle is likely to be bitter and furious. The Government might fall over any—ought to fall, according to the probabilities.

The situation is fraught with interest, but there is a fair probability that if the French and British Premiers meet at Nice before the year closes it may still be Georges Leygues who will greet his British colleague.

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ARMENIA REDUCED TO A TINY STATE

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the four great powers, and Dr. James L. Barton, head of the Near East Relief, who went into Armenia after the war as Chairman of the commission investigating the Near East, explained the complicated situation which the President must consider.

Squeezed from both sides, Armenia has been forced to negotiate with both Bolsheviki and Turks as matters of expediency, and not free choice, they said. As recently as six months ago high Armenian officials discussed with Colonel Haskell the advisability of getting up a soviet form of government, which they did not want, merely to appease the Russians pressing upon Armenia from the north.

They have been compelled to deal with the Turks likewise to prevent annihilation from the south, and the Turks and Russians have been negotiating with each other for an alliance against "outside interference."

Armenia has a government in form, including a President, a Prime Minister, a Ministry and an army of some 17,500 men, all of which is unable to function and has been waiting for allied assistance. The President, Abarounian, is at Geneva, Switzerland, urging his country's cause before the League of Nations. The Prime Minister, H. Chanjanian, and his Ministry are at Erivan, constrained in action and virtually controlled by the Bolsheviki and the Turks.

Negotiations with the Bolsheviki have been going on for months concerning Armenian concessions to the Russians, but although numerous cable messages from Moscow have told of the taking of Erivan by Soviet forces the belief is that the city never has been taken by force of arms. Soviet forces could take Erivan at any time, Colonel Haskell and Dr. Barton asserted, but there is nothing left there worth capturing.

The Russians have taken Azerbaijan and the Baku country, where they have gathered control of the oil district. They have not waged war against the Republic of Georgia, because Georgia is the one inlet for Russia's dealings with the rest of the world, and she needs Georgia as a "middleman," according to Colonel Haskell and Dr. Barton. Between lies Armenia, a sort of "buffer State" and "football" for Russians and Turks.

The limit of the territory President Wilson may as mediator concede to Armenia for the League of Nations, has been set as the four provinces of Trebizond, Erzerum, Bitlis and Van, in all about the size of Illinois. Kemal Pasha now holds these provinces with his troops. He recognizes no authority of the League of Nations, or of the Peace Treaty, and has declared for Turkey for the Turks without reservation.

Without an armed force in Armenia, any concession President Wilson may allow to Armenia, or the territory Kemal Pasha holds would result in nothing, it was predicted.

Armenia will not be in a position to govern herself without a loan of about $20,000,000, and will be unable to readjust herself politically without an armed force sufficient to protect her from the Russian Bolsheviki and the Turkish Nationalists, who apparently have come to an agreement with each other, it was added.

CHILEANS TO DISCUSS COURSE.

Leaders Divide on Following Argentina's Lead on League.

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SANTIAGO, Chile, Dec. 9.—Whether Chile will join Argentina in retiring from the League of Nations Assembly will be decided tomorrow at a conference of the nation's leaders, called by President San Fuente, to consider instructions to the League delegates.

The conference will be attended by Foreign Minister Aldamato, President-elect Alessandri and members of the Foreign Relations Committees of the Senate and House.

Senator Gonzalo Dulnes, who is credited with obtaining Argentine support against consideration of the Tacna-Arica question, is leading the section favoring Chile's retirement from the League. Retirement is opposed by another group of leaders, who fear that it would mean a loss of prestige which might strengthen the position of Peru and Bolivia on a reconsideration of the treaty of Ancon.

Dulnes, who recently visited Argentina on a secret mission in connection with the League, today published a third signed article in which he laments that the Chilean delegates did not accompany Señor Pueyrredon in his departure from Geneva. He says that President Irogoyen told the Chilean delegates of the Argentine position when they visited Buenos Aires en route to the League meeting, and therefore the action was no surprise to them. He states that Argentina and Brazil prevented the League's consideration of revision of the Ancon treaty, which Peru and Bolivia had requested, and that it is significant that Bolivia renewed her insistence for the treaty's revision on the same day that Pueyrredon retired.

"Argentina, by preventing the revision of the treaty, has insured the League's willingness to give the young South American republics the place in the League to which they are entitled," he declared.

TURKS ATTACK GREEKS AT MANY POINTS

Kemal Tells Izzet He Will Fight Till Treaty of Sevres Is Modified.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—The forces of Mustapha Kemal Pasha are attacking the Greeks at many points in Asia Minor, says a dispatch to The London Times from Smyrna.

The dispatch adds that General Papoulas, Commander-in-Chief of the Greek forces, accompanied by his staff, has left for the front.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 8 (Associated Press).—Izzet Pasha, the Turkish Minister of the Interior, and his delegation have arrived in Angora in their attempt to negotiate an agreement with Mustapha Kemal Pasha, the Nationalist leader.

The delegation was received enthusiastically with cries of "Long live the Sultan!" but Mustapha Kemal Pasha told Izzet that the Nationalists were determined to carry on the war until the Peace Treaty was modified so as to suppress the economic clauses and eliminate zones of influence.

Mustapha Kemal also refused to break off relations with the Russian Bolsheviki, saying:

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Mob Attacks Prohibition Agents Who Seize Whisky and Wine and Arrest Eight Men.

RESERVES TO THE RESCUE

Passersby Join Fight to Help Enforcement Officers, One of Whom Fires Pistol in Vain.

A raid by prohibition agents on the basement of a tenement at 125 Mulberry Street yesterday afternoon resulted in a small riot when sympathizers of eight men found in the place clashed with citizens who went to the aid of the officers. Before police reserves stopped the fight and rescued the agents from the mob, one of the enforcement officers had to empty his pistol to save his fellow-officer's life.

Agents Ernstthal and Reager, who for several months have been investigating the whisky "curb market" in the vicinity, learned that a band of men were making wine and whisky in the basement of the building immediately under a bank. Reager, approaching the basement from the rear, discovered what he said was a "still" in full operation and eight men filling barrels. He and Ernstaahal, with drawn pistols, broke down the door and arrested the occupants. They reported to John B. Quigley, Assistant Supervising Prohibition Enforcement Director, that, besides a quantity of mash in a copper vat, they found nine barrels of newly made wine.

The agents ordered the prisoners to move the wine and mash to the sidewalk and one of them telephoned the Elizabeth Street Station for reserves.

Before the last barrel of wine had been moved, however, a crowd of several hundred men, women and children had gathered. When Ernstthal tried to drive them away a dozen men attacked him, knocked him to the ground and took his pistol. Reager, in the basement with the eight prisoners, heard Ernstthal's cries and ran to his assistance. As he reached the sidewalk he was struck on the head with a club.

Passersby went to the assistance of the prohibition officers and a riot immediate followed. Reager discharged his pistol six times in the air in an effort to save Ernstthal, and he, too, was attacked and was being severely beaten. Then the reserves arrived and all the assailants disappeared.

Later the prohibition enforcement officers arrested Tomasso Cagliardi, 41 years old, who said he was a restaurant proprietor. They accused him of being connected with the "still," although he was not present at the raid. He was served with a summons to appear this morning before United States Commissioner Hitchcock.

Charles R. O'Connor, State Prohibition Enforcement Director, received word from prohibition officials in Detroit that Charles Bancz was arrested in that city when sixty bottles of whisky were found in his four suitcases on a train from New York to Chicago. Bancz had a removal permit.

Mr. O'Connor said his office files showed a permit had been issued to "C. Bancz" of 165 Avenue A on Nov. 26 last for the removal of sixty bottles of whisky to 6,255 South State Street, Chicago. The Enforcement Director said Chicago officials informed him the address was that of a saloon.

Christ Anderson, proprietor of a saloon at 329 Smith Street, Brooklyn, pleaded guilty to violating the Volstead act and was fined $150 by Judge Chatfield and sentenced to fifteen days in jail.

Police Commissioner Enright refused to aid United States District Attorney Ross to obtain information against saloonkeepers by reporting daily the names and addresses of persons arrested on charges of intoxication. Mr. Ross had asked John A. Leach, First Deputy Police Commissioner, for such information. The Commissioner, he said, consented to supply the list, but Commissioner Enright later ordered the request to be ignored.

Federal agents raided twenty saloons in Jersey City and Newark and later arraigned the proprietors before United States Commissioners Stanton and Hendrickson. The men were held in $1,000 bail each. Among the prisoners was John O'Brien, formerly Excise Commissioner of Jersey City, who keeps a saloon at 161 Newark Avenue. He was indicted by the Federal Grand Jury several weeks ago on a similar charge.

SHORT CROPS CLOSE BANKS.

Reopening in North Dakota Depends on Sales by Farmers.

BISMARCK, N. D., Dec. 9.—Crop shortages are largely responsible for the closing of more than a score of banks in North Dakota in the last three weeks, according to a statement today by the Director General of the Bank of North Dakota. His statement says in part:

"There have been more banks failed proportionately in North Dakota than in other States because the banks in the new territory of the western portion of the State are much smaller proportionately, and because of four short crops. The crop of 1919 was almost a total failure. During the unusually long and severe Winter of 1919 and 1920, banks were compelled to advance money to help farmers feed their stock and additional money had to be furnished to provide for the 1920 crop planting. In the ordinary course of business no doubt a majority of these banks which are closed will reopen as soon as farmers can be induced to sell a portion of their crops."

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Governor to grant another reprieve. The testimony was given by Dr. Marcus Heyman, Superintendent of the Manhattan Hospital for the Insane on Ward's Island, who said that Cassidy had the mind of a nine-year-old child.

No word from the Governor was received at the prison and it was then reported that Mr. O'Neill intended to apply to some Judge for a stay of Cassidy's execution. At 9:30 o'clock Warden Lewis E. Lawes received a telephone message from Mr. O'Neill that he had applied to Justice Hotchkiss of the Supreme Court for a stay, but had been refused.

This message removed any uncertainty as to the execution of all five men. The four Bronx prisoners had been in the death house nearly two years and had been reprieved five times. Baker had been there less than a year and never received a stay.

At 9 o'clock in the evening Baker's wife and his mother, Mrs. Ida Trembeth of Rochester, attempted to get Justice Clark of the Supreme Court, at Whaley, N. Y., to ask for a stay, but were unable to reach him. Baker's wife and mother and his three young children had previously visited him. The two women were weeping when they came out. The children, too young to realize their father's plight, glanced about and smiled at the keepers as they passed through the prison.

Usefof asked the Warden to spare his mother the pain of another meeting. Mrs. Bella Usefof, the aged and infirm mother, had sent word that she would arrive in the evening. The Warden promised that he would try to prevail upon her to go home.

McLaughlin was visited by his sister, Miss Marcella McLaughlin and his brother, George. McLaughlin, who has been declared an imbecile by two lunacy boards appointed by Governor Smith, thrust a hand through the bars of his cell when Warden Lawes passed on his last round and said, laughing:

"Shake, put it there, shake."

Cassidy presented the Warden with a brief of his case on appeal and asked him to keep it as a remembrance. Cassidy is illiterate, but has been learning to read and write. He pointed to a dozen words on the wall, including the word "remembrance."

"Isn't it hell, Warden," he said, "when you get so you can write words like that to have to be bumped off? I hope I won't have to go before Barry comes back."

He referred to James J. Barry of Schenectady, a lawyer, whose friendship for the family caused him to make a hard legal fight for Cassidy. Mr. Barry had gone to Washington, D. C., where he had vainly sought to obtain a stay from Justice Brandeis of the United States Supreme Court.

Cassidy received a farewell telegram from his brother Michael, who is in prison in Trenton, N. J.

"When I get out I'll go straight for your sake," the telegram read. "It hurts me to write these words."

Milano's father, his sister Mary, and his brother Louis visited him. "Usefof did not take part in the crime," Milano said at the last.

Baker's chief thought seemed to be for his wife and children. "If I've got to leave this good old earth, I want to make a statement before I go," he said. "I'm feeling all right, but it's over others I am worrying."

The number of prisoners executed was the largest since five men were put to death on Sept. 3, 1915, when Thomas Mott Osborne was Warden of the prison. The largest number ever executed at Sing Sing was on Aug. 12, 1914, when seven men were put to death, five of them for the murder of Mrs. Mary Hall at Croton Lake.

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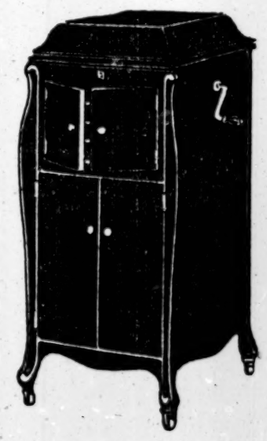

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UNIONTOWN, Pa., Dec. 9.—The Pennsylvania State Board of Education wa asked today by residents of New Salem to co-operate with county and other State officials in the hunt for the incendiaries responsible for the firing of twelve schools, nineteen stores and dwellings and five large mines in the Fayette-Westmoreland district within the last few weeks.

At a meeting in the village tonight resolutions were adopted urging the State board to offer a reward for the apprehension of the firebugs. In addition, the resolutions also urge municipalities in the county to offer rewards and it is expected that within the next few days total rewards will be more than $10,000. Already $6,000 is offered, $5,000 by the County Commissioners and $1,000 by Perry Township.

Although there have been no fires since the burning of the Star Junction school Sunday morning, the vigilance of the authorities has not decreased. It is believed the "arson ring" is merely resting in hopes that the police will relax. Police make no secret of the fact that they fear the next outbreak will be in the vicinity of Uniontown, which district thus far has suffered least.

Spurred to action by the stimulus of the $6,000 reward, already many Deputy Sheriffs and specially authorized officers are combing the entire county for suspects. Similar action on a smaller scale is reported in Westmoreland County.

The eleven American Legion posts of the country will take official action on the situation this week, and it is possible that many of the ex-service men 6,000 in all, will offer their services as protectors of the public rights in the face of what is now regarded as an organized menace.

This morning at daybreak twenty motor cars loaded with officers left Uniontown to continue investigations begun yesterday and which are expected to yield some return before many days. Nine Pittsburgh detectives are quartered in Uniontown with many other operatives at other county points.

Benjamin Strong to Return Soon.

Benjamin Strong, Governor of the New York Federal Reserve Bank, has just arrived in Paris from Marseilles and is expected to return to this country some time next month. Mr. Strong left New York last January and after spending some time in Arizona sailed for Japan from San Francisco last April. When he returns to his desk here he will have made a complete circuit of the world.

Freight Mileage Record by D.,L.&W.

The Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad established a new high record for the average daily movement of its freight cars during the month of October, when each car was moved an average of 38.1 miles. In October, 1919, the average daily car movement was 32.7 miles a day and in the preceding year 31.9 miles.

FEAR 'NIGHT RIDING' BY TOBACCO GROWERS

Managers Stop Warehouse Sales on Demand of 2,000 Planters at Owensboro.

Special to The New York Times.

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 9.—Two thousand growers of the "dark" tobacco district of Western Kentucky marched this afternoon on the seven loose-leaf houses in Owensboro, the largest "dark" tobacco and next to the largest tobacco market in the State, to force the managers to close and refuse to receive more tobacco until conditions warranted the paying of better prices. The action, which followed the opening of the market the first of the week, when prices were the lowest since 1915, has caused fear of a resumption of the troubles that marked a similar condition twelve years ago when the district was terrorized by "Night Riders."

Although no outbreaks have occurred, it is understood that the growers are determined. Belief that an organization cannot be fully attained before many planters who are thought to be threatened with bankruptcy and are willing to sell at any figure can be chilled, make it appear that violence is imminent.

Preceding the demands on the warehouse men the planters met at the Court House in Owensboro and planned to place the crop in hogsheads and keep it there until prices improved through cutting the 1921 crop. The prices at the opening of the market averaged $5, as compared with $18.97 on the opening day last year. Such excitement as prevailed in Owensboro this afternoon had not been witnessed in years.

Because of the absence of violence the name "Day Riders" has been applied to the tobacco growers heading the new movement. The loose leaf managers met tonight to discuss what they would do, and it is expected that their answer will be given to the growers tomorrow. In the meantime the warehouse men agreed temporarily to the demands. The growers appointed a committee to seek financial aid. Meetings have been called for every schoolhouse in Daviess County, when delegates will be appointed to attend another mass meeting in the Court House in Owensboro Saturday.

Growers paid little attention to the fact that the weed was selling for an average of $8.78 a hundred pounds, an advance of $3 a hundred over yesterday's prices. It is feared that the trouble experienced at Owensboro will [illegible] at the opening of a score of markets in other counties of Western Kentucky and Tennessee.

"No Case" in Olive Thomas's Death.

PARIS, Dec. 9.—M. Pamart, Examining Magistrate, after considering all the facts in connection with the death of Olive Thomas (Mrs. Jack Pickford), the moving picture actress from mercurial poisoning in September, has decided that there is no case to proceed with.

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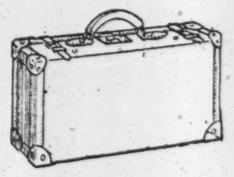

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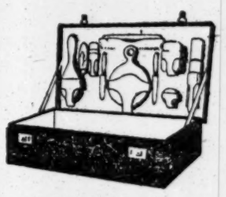

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PASTORS IN DISPUTE ON JAPANESE ISSUE

Rev. Mr. Carter Asks if Immigration Conference Is Called Under Camouflage.

PROPAGANDA, HE INTIMATES

Dr. Gulick Insists That His Immigration Plan Is to Give All Peoples a Square Deal.

A discordant note was struck at the conference on immigration held under the auspices of the National Committee for Constructive Immigration Legislation in Broadway Tabernacle last night, when the Rev William Carter of the Throop Avenue Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn, asked, "in a perfectly polite but emphatic spirit," whether the meeting was a pro-Japanese meeting in disguise. The Rev. Sidney L. Gulick, secretary of the committee, had explained the Johnson bill, which provides for the suspension of immigration for two years, and was comparing it with the Welty bill, when Dr. Carter arose with the query: "What are we here for?"

"The printed notices said the meeting was under the auspices of the National Committee for Constructive Immigration Legislation," he continued. "What is the committee's purpose? What is its mission? Who are its members, and are they backing up the Welty bill because under its ethical basis of admitting immigrants, the Japanese may be welcomed here? Has this conference been called under a camouflage?"

By this time Dr. Gulick had made himself heard. The committee, he said, was the result of his own endeavors after returning from Japan, where he had been as a missionary. He sought to start a movement which would protect America from contaminating immigration, he said. At the same time he wanted all peoples to get a square deal here. He wanted his plan taken up by the Federal Council of Churches, but it had declared it was political. Previously he had said he was a landowner in Japan.

Then Mr. Carter got the floor again. "If we are here to discuss the Asiatic question it is well that it be known," he said. "There is propaganda enough being sent out now in behalf of Japan in this country. That man Kawakami of San Francisco, head of the Western Japanese Bureau and also of the Japanese Association of America, is doing enough propaganda work. He is married to an American woman and teaches in his book the desirability of intermarriage between Japanese and Americans. We all know what a lowering of our American type that would make for, and I tell you here and now we can not afford to be holding meetings which do not make for the preservation of our American type."

There was great cheering when he finished. By this time the meeting was far out of its appointed channel. The Rev. Dr. George Edwin Pickard of Brooklyn asked why the American Legion was refused permission to meet immigrants to teach them the way to become citizens. This brought a member of the Legion into the debate. It was some time before the meeting got back to the subject in hand, but the Oriental immigration kept coming up again and again.

Mr. Welty said that the problem of restricting immigration now looms large because of the large influx from Eastern and Southern Europe, who do not possess the ideals which prompted the migration of the Pilgrim Fathers.

"Many of them," he said, "do not seem to possess any religion excepting the religion of hate. They come to pull our civilization down to their level in our already congested and over-crowded cities. Few of the present immigrants find their way on farms and in small municipalities.

"As a result, we now have in our land the second largest Polish city and the largest Jewish city in the world, while in our steel mills and coal mines can be heard a babel and confusion of tongues in such numbers as to make them an easy prey for selfish interests to enrich themselves at the expense of these foreigners.

"Why not set up a standard known as the American standard and compel every alien to reach the same before he is granted citizenship in a country made sacred by the sacrifices of our fathers? Why not say to every alien: 'These are our standards; if they please you the door is open; if not, the ship is in the harbor'? Why continue to throw citizenship at these aliens in order to procure their votes? Why not compel each 'to win the spurs he wears'?"

Not long ago those who insisted this country was not assimilating "these polyglot throngs" were as one crying in the wilderness, Professor Edward A. Ross of the University of Michigan said. Then came the draft law with its revelation.

"Unless our nation determines to control its composition, peoples of the most diverse origin, speech and culture will flow hither from all the globe until the time arrives when the economic conditions of unskilled labor here are so unattractive that nowhere on earth is a people so crowded or poor that they will care to migrate to the United States of America," he said.

Says Numbers Should be Restricted.

Dr. Jenks said that present laws are sufficiently rigid, if properly enforced, to protect the country "fairly well" against the physically and mentally diseased, but the deportation of the morally corrupt was more difficult. He advocated that immigrants be chosen that will be best suited to meet our business and economic ends. Numbers should be restricted to prevent a surplus of labor and the consequent lowering of American standards. This selection, he said, should be such as to admit only those likely to be available for democratic citizenship and in sympathy with our institutions.

"Immigration and National Welfare" was the subject of Dr. Stephen S. Wise. The first truth to be borne in mind with respect to Americanization, Dr. Wise said, is that the foreigner must not be designated as a problem, nor can Americanization work be helped through the newly arrived being dubbed a foreigner.

"There can be no Americanization unless there be contacts between native and the foreign-born Americans. In so far as Americanization is an educational process, there must be what every teacher knows is fundamental in teaching—namely, a point or points of contact. There can be no contact without brotherliness. There can be no brotherliness unless native Americans root out of their hearts every prejudice, every antagonism, every ill-will, all those tendencies of the spirit which raise barriers between man and man."

DUTCH PRESS IS AROUSED.

Characterizes Proposed Immigration Bar as Too Severe.

THE HAGUE, Dec. 9.—The Dutch press is considerably aroused over the proposed anti-immigration measures in the United States.

The Amsterdam Telegraaf characterizes the proposed law as too severe, particularly in view of America's need of unskilled labor.

IMMIGRATION BILL DISCUSSED IN HOUSE

Vote of 151 to 9 to Limit Debate on It to Four Hours Is Taken to Indicate Sentiment.

PASSAGE TOMORROW LIKELY

But Senate Is Expected to Oppose Two-Year Bar and to Set Up Board to Fix Admissions.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Consideration of the bill to prohibit immigration for two years or until a comprehensive immigration law can be enacted, was begun in the House today, with indications of its final passage by Saturday, with but slight amendment. Sentiment expressed in the debate on the rule limiting general debate to four hours and on the bill itself showed that the opposition that heretofore existed to immigration restrictions would be absent.

While there is every reason to believe that the House will favor a two years' prohibition, it is believed that the Senate will not be disposed to such radical legislation. Senate leaders agree with the necessity of prohibiting immigration for a period, but they want a board with power to prohibit or restrict immigration as conditions may justify.

The rule limiting general debate to four hours, adopted by a vote of 151 to 9, is taken as an index of the sentiment existing for the prompt passage of the bill. Party lines have disappeared. Representative Sabath, Democrat, of Illinois, and Representative Siegel, Republican, of New York, are leading the opposition, while Representative Johnson, Republican, of Washington, and Representative Baker, Democrat, of California, are leading the proponents. The entire four hours' debate has been apportioned to these four men.

Representative Johnson, in opening the debate, outlined the situation facing this country and insisted that the welfare of the United States demanded that the door should be closed to immigrants for a period of two years at least.

Sees 2,000,000 Homes Needed.

"There is a genuine cause for alarm when the influx has reached a point;" said Mr. Johnson, "as it did last week, when 16,000 souls entered through one port alone. The record of 1907, when more than a million aliens entered the United States, will be surpassed if the present rate of increase is maintained. At the rate of 16,000 a week, 823,000 will come in a single year if no legal bar be raised. Our country is now in need of 2,000,000 homes to shelter those already here, and there are 1,000,000 workers out of employment.

"The fact is that the new immigration is not of the kind or quality to meet the real needs of the country. We are being made a dumping ground. We are receiving the dependents, the human wreckage of the war; not the strength and virility that once came to hew our forests and till our soil. And worst of all they are coming in such numbers at a time when we are unable to adequately take care of them."

Representative Siegel led the opposition and joined with Representative Sabath in presenting a minority report and spoke briefly against the bill. He declared that it was laxly drawn and did nothing to protect the Canadian and Mexican borders. He said there were seventy-six ports of entry on the Canadian border with only twenty-three doctors to make the inspections. The result of which, he said, was that there was no trouble whatever to enter the United States by crossing the Canadian or Mexican border.

Representative Raker, Democrat of California, asked Representative Siegel if the congestion in the cities did not need relief. Siegel replied that the building "combines" had been permitted under the Democratic Administration to function to that end, and that prices of construction materials had increased 300 per cent. because the Attorney General had not prosecuted those "combines."

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (Associated Press).—Opening debate in the House today on the Immigration question, Representative Campbell, Chairman of the Rules Committee, declared that unless "the flood gates are closed the standard of living will be lowered, unemployment already estimated at 2,000,000 men, will run rampant and the wage scales destroyed."

Representative Sabath took issue with Mr. Campbell on the question of unemployment, declaring that he did not believe there was anything like 2,000,000 men out of work. He condemned the Rules Committee for reporting a rule limiting general debate on the immigration measure to four hours, declaring it was a dangerous precedent for the Republicans to set.

Representative Fess, Republican, of Ohio, said "this legislation would fail to keep undesirables out of this country unless Assistant Secretary of Labor Post was removed from his office." He read a statement charging that foreigners who had no understanding of American institutions committed the most heinous crimes on the criminal records.

Other speakers favoring the bill were Representatives Vaile, Republican, of Colorado; Wilson, Democrat, of Louisiana; Blanton, Democrat, of Texas; Raker, Democrat, of California, and Crist, Democrat, of Georgia.

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DU PONT SHOWS THE NEED

Cites Case of Lieutenant Grown Poor Through Illness—Deplores Attacks on Movement.

The drive for the collection of $5,000,000 for the Police Hospital, which it is purposed to erect at Lincoln Place and Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, started yesterday without the participation of members of the uniformed force as solicitors.

In a letter to Coleman du Pont, Special Deputy Police Commissioner and President of the Police Hospital Corporation, Mayor Hylan directed that no policeman should be permitted to take an active part in raising the fund. The Mayor said that it had been his impression that policemen were to be "used in their official positions as servants of the city in asking for subscriptions from the people of the city."

The Mayor's letter was in reply to one from Mr. du Pont, in which the latter said that the Police Hospital had been incorporated on Aug. 12, 1920, and that the site had been purchased at a cost of $750,500.

"The necessity of such a hospital is, I think, apparent to you," General du Pont wrote the Mayor. "Your personal aid, Lieutenant William Kennel, has been in the hospital for over a year and the savings of a lifetime have been used up in his fight for health. This is only one of many instances of a similar character where members of the department and their families are penniless or heavily in debt because of sickness."

Mr. du Pont said that a work of this kind could not be expected to go on without criticism, but added that the projectors of the movement had felt some regret because one newspaper began a series of unjust criticisms just as Police Commissioner Enright was about to take an overdue vacation.

Officers of the Hospital Corporation include, besides Mr. du Pont, R. A. C. Smith, Jefferson de Mont Thompson, Herman A. Metz, Walter Scott, Charles Thorley, Louis G. Kaufman, Vincent Astor, Joseph P. Day, Allan A. Ryan, Michael Friedsam, George W. Loft and Charles H. Sabin.

BERGER APPEAL OPENS.

Attorney Tells Supreme Court That Espionage Act Is Repealed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Arguments were heard by the Supreme Court today on the appeal of Victor Berger, editor of The Milwaukee Leader and twice elected to Congress from Wisconsin on the Socialist ticket, from his conviction under the Espionage act. Counsel for Berger also presented to the court briefs and arguments in support of their petition that the entire case be dismissed and prosecution abated on the ground that Federal Judge Landis, who presided at the trial, was prejudiced against Socialism.

The appeal in behalf of Mr. Berger was based on the contention that the war with Germany had been formally and legally terminated with the passage by Congress of the joint peace resolution—later vetoed by President Wilson—and that the Espionage act was repealed through the same enactment.

The arguments will be continued tomorrow.

Union Pacific Elects Treasuerr.

Edward G. Smith, former Assistant Treasurer of the Union Pacific System, was elected Treasurer yesterday to succeed the late Frederick V. S. Crosby. Thomas C. Richards, former cashier, was elected to succeed Mr. Smith as Assistant Treasurer.

5 UNIONS COMBINE IN CLOTHING FIGHT

Continued from Page 1, Column 5.

"We tender our unqualified support to the clothing workers in the fight that has been forced upon them."

Mr. Hillman, when he made public a statement as President of the Amalgamated at 6 o'clock last night, indicated that the "unqualified support" mentioned in the resolution might mean anything the Amalgamated would need in the way of aid in the long fight anticipated by the unionists.

He announced the receipt of a telegram from Samuel Levin, Manager of the Chicago Joint Board of the Amalgamated, in which Levin said:

"Hart Schaffner & Marx, the big clothing firm, made public today a statement that they will make no attempt to revoke their agreements with the amalgamated, in view of the situation in New York. This statement is of great importance to the New York tailors. It means that Chicago will not be affected by the lockouts in New York and other cities. The amalgamated workers of Chicago, over 40,000 strong, will therefore be in a good position to assist their New York brothers in their present struggle. Another manufacturer states publicly that clothing workers' wages will not be lowered."

Mr. Hillman's statement announced that at a mass meeting of cutters of the amalgamated at Beethoven Hall the following additional firms were listed as having locked out their workers: Cohen & Lang, 2,000 workers; Lipps Brothers, 500; Danzig & Eisenberg, 300; Zeeman & Grossman, 1,500; Louis Shapiro, 800; Futoff Brothers, 300; S. D. Levy, 100; Phil Walcoff, 1,000, and that the shipping clerks of the following manufacturers had been called out: J. Friedman & Co., Samuel Rosenthal, Phil Walcoff, Harry Jacobson, Marmur, Schiff & Stein, Spiro Michaels and Cohen & Lang.

Mr. Hillman then said that he considered the needle trades alliance a step in the direction of closer affiliation in the needle trades, adding in response to a question: "Of course, we want one big clothing workers' union."

Commenting last night upon the proposed alliance, Harry A. Gordon, counsel for the Clothing Manufacturers' Association of New York, said:

"I regard a combination of this kind as an unlawful attempt to impose upon employers of labor and indirectly upon the public by force of might conditions which I am sure will prove very burdensome. The public is practically placed at the mercy of this combination, which by its very formation threatens to tie up the wheels of industry. In my opinion this alliance is a greater menace to society than was the trust of Roosevelt's day, and to meet the situation some courageous, public-spirited citizen like Roosevelt will have to be found to again wield the "big stick," to the end that the public shall not remain at the mercy of any combination, whether it be capital or labor."

GARMENT WORK WAGES UPHELD IN CLEVELAND

Referees Decide Against Either Increase or Reduction—Advise More Productivity.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 9.—The wages of 7,000 union employes in the women's garment industry here will remain unchanged, under a decision handed down tonight by the Board of Referees which supervises labor relations between the Cleveland Garment Manufacturers' Association and the Cleveland branches of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union. The decision also provides that a scientific system for measuring production shall be installed as soon as practicable.

The workers and the thirty-five large manufacturers of women's wear affected announced they would abide by the decision.

The workers had demanded a wage increase of 15 per cent. The employers requested that wages be reduced to the scale established Oct. 19, 1918, about 15 per cent. lower than the present scale. The manufacturers later withdrew their demand.

The manufacturers, during the arbitration proceedings, declared that if wages were reduced to give a lower unit cost more garments could be produced, and in the end the workers' income would be increased. The workers contended that unit production cost and selling price could be reduced without reducing wages and that standards of production now being established would attain this end.

The referees ruled that "a reduction in the unit cost of production could be accomplished only by joint and determined efforts of both sides, on the part of the manufacturers by the elimination of all waste in management and by the workers by a steadfast determination to give the best of which they are capable in productivity."

At a hearing to be held next April the referees are to decide when a plan guaranteeing continuity of employment to the workers will become effective. An earlier agreement between the referee, workrs and employes had as a basis a guarantee of forty weeks' employment each year.

The referees are Federal Judge Julian W. Mack of Chicago, Major Samuel U. Rosensohn of New York and John R. McLane of Manchester, with Major William U. Mack impartial Chairman.

ROCHESTER UNION TO AID.

Amalgamated Workers Ready to Help in Boston and New York.

Special to The New York Times.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 9.—Clothing workers in Rochester affiliated with the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America are prepared to give all possible aid to the members in Boston and New York, according to a statement made yesterday by Abraham I. Pearlman, manager of the Rochester Joint Board. Mr. Pearlman said that nothing official had come to the Rochester Joint Board on the situation in Boston or in New York.

Max L. Holtz, President of the Rochester Clothiers' Exchange, repeated yesterday his statement that the difficulties in Boston and New York do not affect the Rochester market, since this market is bound by an agreement. Mr. Holtz said that in ten days or two weeks work in the shops would be resumed.

Members of the United Garment Workers of America, who are affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, are elated over the situation in New York and Boston. They predict a break here so soon as the Amalgamated's contracts expire next May.

CINCINNATI CLOTHIERS CALM.

Think Labor Troubles Unlikely—Union Chiefs Arrive for Conference.

Special to The New York Times.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Dec. 9.—Although practically all of Cincinnati's clothing manufacturing concerns are working part time, there is little likelihood of a general shutdown or strike here, according to officials of local clothing manufacturing plants.

Only two clothing manufacturers in this city employ members of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, to the exclusion of other workers. The great majority of Cincinnati's clothing manufacturers conduct "open shops" though paying the wage scale demanded by the unions.

Frank Rosenblum of the Executive Board of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America arrived here today and will confer with clothing manufacturers regarding a modification of the agreement between employers and employes, which does not expire until June, 1922.

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A small tavern table suitable for a couch table, or coffee table, with raked legs, $45.

A tavern table with turned legs and oval top, painted red, $75.

An inlaid mahogany candlestand with octagonal top and tripod base, $90.

Small mahogany Empire sewing-table, on pedestal, $60.

A top table with snake feet and very slender base, $67.

A black painted tip table with round top and snake feet, $80.

Hooked rugs, so very quaint in their design and color, are unusually interesting as gifts.

One small rug, almost square, has roses on a cream ground and a border of green scrolls, $32.50.

An oblong rug in a pattern that suggests the movement of a kaleidescope is in red and green and cream color, $81.50.

A large oblong rug, very interesting in the character of its design, is patterned with roses set in hexagons in lovely shades of dark and light blue, and of rose and green, $465.

Old brass andirons, fine in design and proportions, are $65 to $135.

Small slat-back chairs with rushed seats are $20 and $25 each.

Fourth Floor, Old Bldg.

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Second Gallery, New Bldg.

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The collection we brought from France includes many desirable articles from shoe fasteners and cuticle knives at 85c to twelve-piece sets at $65.

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Demi-shell celluloid sets, $50 to $125.

Amber celluloid sets, $35 to $125.

Men's sets, $11 and $13.25—military brushes and comb in each set; ivory celluloid, $11; amber celluloid or demi-shell celluloid, $13.25.

Main Floor, Old Bldg.

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$20 Quilts for $12.50 (Single bed size)
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WANTS GUARANTEE PAID TO RAILROADS

Interstate Commerce Commission Says It Is Vital to Public Service.

ASKS ACTION BY CONGRESS

Annual Report Also Recommends Legislation to Punish Bribery of Employes.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Immediate payment to the railroads of sums due them under the guarantee provisions of the Transportation act, but withheld under the ruling of the Controller of the Treasury, was declared by the Interstate Commerce Commission in its annual report today to be "vital * * * in order that the carriers may properly serve the public." The commission recommended that Congress amend the Railroad act to permit the release and payment to the roads of the money thus tied up.

Many of the roads are greatly handicapped because of their inability to collect the guarantee, the commission said. Although advances against the anticipated deficit were made in scores of instances, the report said, some of the roads made no application for aid prior to Sept. 1, and as a result they are stopped from claiming even a portion of moneys "justly due them" until the mechanical work of completing their audit for the entire guarantee period can be accomplished.

The commission said that in most cases it could now determine "amounts or parts of amounts due the carriers," but that its certifications of these sums to the Treasury could not be honored by the Treasury, since the Controller had ruled that such applications for advances must have been granted prior to Sept. 1. The commission believed it should be authorized to make "reasonable estimates" to alleviate the difficulties confronting many carriers in meeting operating expenses, fixed charges, &c.

The year's rail operations have developed the need of several other changes in laws, the commission said. It urged Congress to amend the Interstate Commerce act to provide for the punishment of any person "offering or giving to an empolye of a carrier subject to the act any money or thing of value with intent to influence his action or decision with respect to car service, and also to provide for the punishment of the guilty employe."

Appropriate legislation governing the transportation of explosives was asked, as were changes in laws affecting the awarding of reparations for damages, which, the commission held, should be a matter entirely for the adjudication of courts.

The menace of wooden passenger coaches was set forth as another subject for legislative action, the commission urging that the roads be compelled to use steel cars in all passenger train service and prohibited from using wooden cars between or in front of steel coaches.

Referring to the question of bribery of railroad employes, the Commission said:

"As a result of the inadequacy of the car supply and of railroad transportation facilities generally during the past year, a practice has grown up among shippers of bribing operating employes of railroad companies in order to obtain transportation services. The demoralizing effects of this practice are far-reaching. Bribery of this character in many instances cannot be directly and effectively reached under existing laws."

On the subject of equipment supply, the Commission declared that while the shortage could be minimized by car conservation and increased efficiency, the only permanent solution was substantial additions to equipment. The latest general statistics of the Commission showed that the railroads under its jurisdiction owned approximately 2,368,870 freight cars, while an additional 140,000 cars were owned privately. The freight cars were divided as follows: 1,062,830 box cars, 1,009,875 open top cars, 107,820 flat cars, 83,000 stock cars, 60,200 refrigerator cars and 45,000 cars of miscellaneous types.

Despite the shortage of equipment enumerated by the Commission, it showed that the volume of freight carried during the first seven months of 1920 exceeded by 17.1 per cent. the freight traffic for the corresponding period of 1919.

While the traffic has increased, the Commission's figures show, the net operating income has suffered a continuous decline since 1917. The Commission attributed this to heavier maintenance costs in which war taxation figured. Incomplete statistics, however, made it impossible for the Commission to offer accurate comparison between the years 1917 and 1920, and it made no attempt to estimate the figures for any portion of the year.

The Commission's accident table discloses that 6,495 persons were killed by trains or in train-service accidents during the year of 1919. Of these, 1,784, or more than 27 per cent., met death in grade crossing accidents.

REHEARING DENIED TO 'BIG BILL' HAYWOOD

Chicago Court Allows Him and 93 Other I. W. W. Stay of Sentence to Go to Supreme Court.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Rehearing was denied by the Circuit Court of Appeals late today to William ("Big Bill") Haywood, leader of the Industrial Workers of the World, and ninety-three co-defendants, convicted two years ago for violation of the Espionage act and conspiracy to obstruct the selective draft.

After the denial of the rehearing Attorneys Clarence S. Darrow and Otto Christensen asked a stay of sentence to give them time to present the case before the Supreme Court of the United States. No definite time was allowed, but a stay was granted on condition that immediate action be taken.

The sentences range from ten days to twenty years.

KITCHIN ASSAILS HOUSTON.

Calls His Report Pro-Republican and Aimed to Relieve Rich of Taxes.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 9.—Representative Kitchin, ranking Democratic member of the Ways and Means Committee, in an interview today, attacked Secretary Houston's recommendations on taxation. He said in part:

"I thing it is the most unwise, unjust, undemocratic and pro-Republican report that ever emanated from any department of the Government since its beginning. If the Democrats had control of the House, I am sure the Ways and Means Committee and the House itself would unanimously reject them.

"The whole intent and policy of his recommendations are to relieve the corporate interests and millionaires, who for the last four years have plundered and profiteered upon the people to the extent of $50,000,000,000, of a billion and a half or two billions of dollars of taxes annually and place that amount upon the backs of the people, that is, the victims of such plunderers and profiteers. I cannot understand how any man who claims to have a single impulse for the masses, or who claims to be a Democrat could make such recommendations.

"Have you ever thought about it—that the Secretaries of the Treasury under Mr. Wilson were the first to assume the authority to tell Congress what it ought to tax, or ought not to tax, and the rate of taxation; whether tariff or domestic taxation. All other Secretaries of the Treasury for the last twenty-five years were content to leave the question of what ought, or ought not to be taxed and the rate to the judgment of Congress where the Constitution leaves it.

"If the Democratic Party in Congress were to adopt the suggestions of Secretary Houston's report, it would be no use to hold future Democratic conventions, for no Democratic candidate hereafter would get anything like as many votes as Governor Cox did in the last election, and the Lord knows he got few enough. I predict that in the next Congress in behalf of many Republican measures with respect to taxation, the Republicans will cite Secretary Houston as well as the President as authority for their position."

MILLERS GUESTS OF SMITH.

Governor-Elect and Wife Spend the Night at Executive Mansion.

ALBANY, Dec. 9.—Governor-elect and Mrs. Nathan L. Miller of Syracuse passed tonight at the Executive Mansion, the guests of Governor and Mrs. Alfred E. Smith. An informal dinner was given in the early evening. Mr. Miller was in Albany in connection with business at the Court of Appeals.

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Cotton colored initial—box of six—2.35
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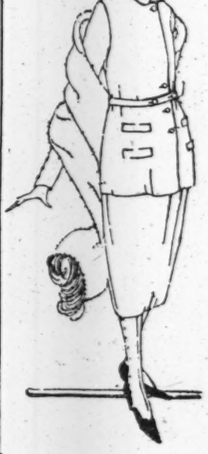

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PLAN TO PIPE COAL FROM MINES TO CITY

Reginald P. Bolton, Engineer, Proposes Two 14-Inch Tubes With Water Pressure.

FROM SCRANTON, 130 MILES

Mayor Hylan Refers Suggestion Made at Engineers' Society to Commissioners.

A plan to provide this city and its people with an unlimited supply of hard coal at all seasons has been submitted to Mayor Hylan and by him referred to the Commissioners of Health and Docks, with instructions to examine the suggestion and to make a report as speedily as possible.

The plan, offered by Reginald P. Bolton, a consulting engineer, is to bring coal here from the anthracite regions in Pennsylvania by forcing it through two fourteen-inch pipes with water pressure. It was explained that there is a fall between Scranton, about 130 miles west, and this city of about 2,000 feet, and that coal and water in the proportion of 50 per cent. each would travel at the rate of seven feet a second. The two pipes, Mr. Bolton explained, would bring to this city 7,000,000 tons of coal a year, enough to supply the needs of the 5,500,000 population and enough besides to supply communities through which the pipes were laid.

Mr. Bolton was one of the speakers at the fuel section meeting of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers last night. In his speech he merely referred to the suggestion made to the Mayor, but later, by request, explained it in detail.

Tubes Cheaper Than Railroads.

"The Mayor," he said, "appeared to be very much interested in the idea. A few days ago we discussed the matter and I told him some things of a technical nature which could best be made plain in conversation. I stated that coal could be sent through pipes just as easily as water, and a good deal cheaper because the coal pipes could be laid on the top of the ground, as there would be no danger of freezing. I figured out for him the number of tons which two fourteen-inch pipes could bring here within a given time. I do not remember the precise figures, but I convinced him that the transportation of coal by this plan would be much cheaper than by the present method of riding it in freight cars, and that there then would be no danger of the supply failing.

Mr. Bolton said that he also discussed with the Mayor the question of the city providing a place where enough coal could be stored to supply the people in cases of emergency. The question of the city storing large quantities of coal for the public and the building of pipe lines were two different suggestions. But Mr. Bolton said he was eager to have both plans adopted, because with the proposed pipe lines and a vast storage yard owned by the city coal could be brought here throughout every month in the year and thus provision made for all time.

Asked concerning the cost of the proposed pipe lines, Mr. Bolton said that it would be small compared with the total cost which the people had to pay for its transportation as freight.

Edison Manager Discusses Fuel.

During the evening there was general discussion by engineers concerning fuel, the chief article being submitted by John W. Lieb, Vice President and General Manager of the New York Edison Company. After telling of the unprecedented rise in price during the last two years, he said that contracts with operators were not regarded by the latter.

"The New York Edison Company," he said, "had contracts for 25 per cent. more coal than it needed, but we received only about 67 per cent. of the amount of coal called for under the contracts. This problem of coal must be solved as a national economical question because the public health must be safeguarded, and it depends in a large measure upon an adequate coal supply." He said that of late the companies frequently receive coal "so deficient in quality that only 75 or 80 per cent. of the maximum capacity of the boilers was obtainable."

The dismantling of branch lines of railroads all over the country where hard surfaced roads exist and both freight and passenger traffic could be hauled by motor trucks and buses was advocated yesterday by Charles A. Morse, chief engineer of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad, at the morning session.

Mr. Morse dwelt upon the duplication of facilities, often needless, which proved expensive to the railroads, and said the charges for such duplication eventually were a tax on the public. In many sections, he said, branch lines, built originally along soft dirt roads, now paralleled gravel surfaced roads, on which automobiles could make about as good speed as trains.

To Eliminate Branch Roads.

He urged a listing of dispensable branch lines on all railroads and a five to seven year program of eliminating them.

One advantage Mr. Morse claimed for his plan lay in the increased use of rolling stock and equipment that would come from direct to main line delivery instead of cars making slow, time-losing journeys onto branch lines and back again. Further, he said the scheme would result in the elimination of small mechanical terminals and station agents and helpers at branch stations.

Other speakers were Daniel Willard, President of the Baltimore & Ohio, former Brig. Gen. Frank T. Hines, Vice President of the Baltic Steamship Corporation, who reviewed the Government's efforts in connection with inland waterways transportation, Francis W. Davis, William Barclay Parsons, consulting engineer, who discussed the terminal problem, and Gustav Lindenthal, consulting engineer, who reviewed his project of a bridge across the Hudson River.

At a dinner of the engineering alumni of Worcester Polytechnic Institute at the Hotel Commodore in connection with the engineers' annual meeting, Edwin S. Carman of Cleveland, new President of the society, pledged the support of its 13,000 members to the American Engineering Council, headed by Herbert Hoover, which aims at a constructive national program of public service. Charles F. Rand announced that the Engineering Foundation was raising $5,000,000, of which $500,000 was in hand, to further industrial research on a national scale.

HARDING THANKS COX; UNDECIDED ON WILLIS

Delays Decision on Governor's Offer Because of Illness of Senator-Elect's Father.

Special to The New York Times.

MARION, Ohio, Dec. 9.—Senator Harding has made no decision concerning Governor Cox's offer to appoint former Governor Frank B. Willis, the Republican Senator-elect, in the President-elect's place, should Mr. Harding desire to resign immediately from the Senate.

With the holiday recess of Congress expected next week, it was said at Senator Harding's office today that the President-elect deemed an unhurried decision justifiable in view of the critical illness of Mr. Willis's father.

Senator Harding sent the following telegram to the Governor today:

Governor James M. Cox, Columbus, Ohio.

I beg to acknowledge your telegram with reference to appointing Senator-elect Willis to the vacancy which my resignation will create. I wish to express my appreciation of the spirit of helpfulness which your telegram conveys. WARREN G. HARDING.

Seeing no callers, Senator Harding remained at his desk the entire day reading and dictating replies to his correspondence. Mrs. Harding rested from two active days in Washington and did not leave the house or receive visitors.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Senators Knox of Pennsylvania and Nelson of Minnesota, Republicans, and Overman of North Carolina, Democrat, have been appointed by Vice President Marshall as the Senate members of the Joint Congressional Committee to have charge of the arrangements for the inauguration of President-elect Harding.

Pittsburgh Police Get Increase.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 9.—The Budget Committee of the Pittsburgh City Council late today granted Lieutenants, detectives, Sergeants and policemen a 13 per cent. wage increase.

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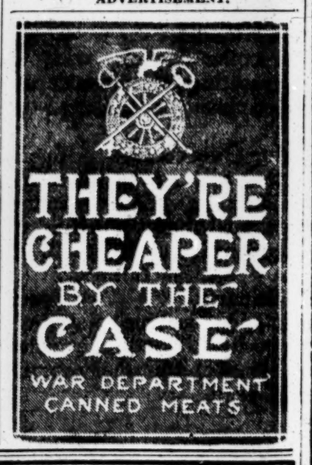

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In the second place, there are not many pounds of the kind of meat for which you pay 40 or 50 cents, or more, in the entire animal. Sometimes the retailer has to sell a lot of the meat he buys for about what he pays for it, because you and your neighbors pass by certain cuts and insist upon the other choicer cuts, such as steaks, etc.

Necessarily, he must get enough for these choicer cuts to make up for what he loses on the less popular ones, such as soup meat, etc.

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WOMAN EXPECTED SATURDAY

Her Former Husband Denies Marrying Her to Cloak Relations With Jake L. Hamon.

Special to The New York Times.

ARDMORE, Okla., Dec. 9.—Arrangements for the surrender of Clara Smith Hamon to County Prosecutor Russell B. Brown before Saturday night were completed here today in a series of conferences between the prosecutor and C. C. Coakley, her attorney. Under the agreement she will waive preliminary hearing and will be at once admitted to bail. Prosecutor Brown will have an opportunity to examine her for half a day in his office without her attorney's presence.

The woman, according to news filtering from the various offices of her many attorneys, is now on the way to Ardmore by a circuitous route from El Paso, Texas. She is expected here tomorrow afternoon. County Prosecutor Brown made public the arrangements for the surrender.

"I was approached yesterday for the first time by C. C. Coakley regarding arrangements for Clara's surrender," he said. "Attorney Coakley asked me if I would agree to allow her to waive a preliminary examination and get bail, providing he surrendered her to me. I promised him my answer this evening. I met him then and told him I would agree to his proposition providing he would allow me to interview her privately in my office for perhaps half a day. He agreed.

"He then told me that arrangements had been completed for Clara Hamon to cross the border yesterday, and that she was probably on her way here now.

"The attorney who helped her get into the United States at El Paso was named Moore, he said. He said he had not heard from her today, but the fact that she had not been arrested was evidence that their plans were working out all right."

The amount of bail has not been discussed. It is known, however, that more than half a million in securities will be offered as security.

EL PASO, Dec. 9.—Sheriff Orndorff of El Paso has received a warrant from Ardmore, Okla., calling for the apprehension of Clara Smith Hamon, according to the woman's brother and father and the Sheriff's office.

The father and son, at their home on San Antonio Street, said they expected she would come to them as soon as she learned of the warrant. They declared they did not know where she was but intimated that she was not far from El Paso.

"If I could go to Clara this morning I would go and take you with me," the father said to a correspondent of the Associated Press. "If I could I would take you to her and ask her to make a statement correcting many things about an interview which we believe was unfounded and about the diary which we do not believe was hers. She is not here. You may look for yourself."

Mr. Smith dodged the question whether she had been to his home, but repeatedly declared that at present they did not know where she was.

Deputy Sheriff John Boone said the woman was in Juarez on Dec. 2. Boone said he notified his superiors of this and that they telegraphed the authorities at Ardmore. Nothing was heard from them until last Monday, he said, when they acknowledged receipt of the telegram, but did not send a warrant.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 9.—Frank L. Hamon, nephew of the late Jake L. Hamon, declared today that he did not marry Clara Smith to give her the name of Hamon in order to permit her to live with Jake L. Hamon.

He was silent as to the exact reason why he married her. His marriage and divorce had no connection with his uncle's death, he asserted.

Hamon, who is at his mother's ranch, twelve miles south of Dijon, where he has been since Sept. 16, recovering from a nervous breakdown, he said, denied the statement of his present wife, Mrs. Ruth Walker Hamon of Sacramento, that he received $100 a month from his uncle for marrying and giving Clara Smith the name of Hamon.

"The $100 a month was paid me by my uncle as salary after I gave up a position as superintendent in one of his oil fields because of lung trouble and went to Arizona," he said. "I was getting this monthly allotment from my uncle long before I married Clara Smith."

Belief that his uncle told the truth in his dying statement, that he accidentally shot himself, was expressed by the nephew, who declared the accusations against Clara Smith Hamon were due to a political plot.

ARMED BAND KIDNAPS CHILD

Ex-Wife of Chicago Oil Official Believed Implicated.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Four armed kidnappers, three of them women, the fourth a man, today stole the 9-year-old daughter of an oil company official from her home in East Chicago, then fled with her in an automobile. The supposed destination of the kidnappers is some point in Wisconsin.

The kidnapping occurred shortly after A. O. Pillman, an official in the Sinclair-Cudahy Pipe Line Company, which has stations here, had left for his work. His wife was still at the breakfast table when the four entered her home. One of the women pointed a revolver at the head of Mrs. Pillman, threatening to kill her, while another of the women picked up the 9-year-old daughter and started to drag the child with her. Mrs. Pillman sprang for the child, but at this point the male member of the band felled Mrs. Pillman by a blow from his fist.

Mrs. Pillman saw them leap into a waiting automobile, which bore a Wisconsin license number.

Mr. Pillman has twice been married. The child kidnapped today is the offspring of the first Mrs. Pillman, from whom it was taken by Pillman on Monday, and she and her friends are believed to be implicated in today's abduction.

CALLS CHICAGO 'DRYER.'

Prohibition Agent Compares It With "Wet" Eastern Cities.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Frank D. Richardson, Supervising Prohibition Agent, returning today from Eastern cities, asserted that Chicago was "dry" in comparison with many of them.

An inventory just completed shows that $5,000,000 in liquor has been seized this year in this district. R. W. Stone, Prohibition Director for Illinois, announced that Washington had affirmed his disapproval of the renewal of fifty-seven liquor permits held by wholesale liquor dealers in Chicago.

"I thought Chicago was 'wet,'" said Mr. Richardson, "until I visited some of the Eastern cities. Liquor was much easier to get there than in the Central West. Attempts to break the law are made on a larger scale than here. Lack of men to cope with the situation is the real cause for the trouble."

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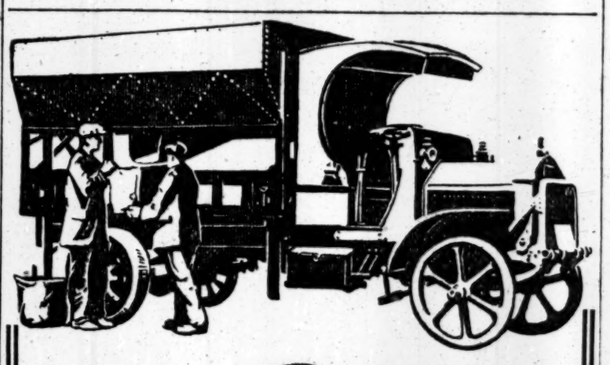

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JUSSERAND ON FRANCE

Ambassador Says Nation Is Recovering—Lamont Reports Japan Eager for Our Trade.

The first session of the fortieth annual meeting of the Academy of Political Science at the Hotel Astor yesterday afternoon was devoted to a discussion of tariff readjustments and trade expansion. W. S. Kies, Chairman of the First Federal Banking Association, who presided, discussed fundamental factors in the present economic situation in Europe.

Among the conclusions he drew from his canvass of social, political and financial conditions were that the immigration laws should be amended to prevent the influx of millions of aliens, and that it might be necessary to amend the tariff so as to protect the key industries if they were found to be threatened and to provide a bargaining tariff with a broad law administered by an able and skilled commission with executive approval.

He recommended both commercial and capital credits for Europe, so its countries might be able to pay for our foodstuffs and raw materials needed in the work of rehabilitation. He suggested a revision of the income tax laws, whereby one-half of any amount of the year's income, saved and invested in certain securities, including Government bonds and securities issued in the furtherance of our foreign trade and investment in foreign securities of certain kind, should be exempted from the normal tax.

Edward N. Dingley, whose topic was "A Tariff Policy for a Creditor Nation," suggested that the nearly ten billions due this country from foreign nations was not a safe or reliable asset. "Perhaps," he said, "it must be charged off as a 'war loss' or most of it."

"The tariff policy of the United States," Mr. Dingley concluded, "should be such as to give our manufacturers, producers and wage-earners the benefit which comes from home production and home markets. Protection is nationalism translated into economic terms."

W. S. Gay, President of the Evening Post Company, advocated a steady reduction of the protective tariff system. Albert Greene Duncan, former President of the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers, discussed the subject briefly.

France Recovering, Jusserand Says.

The French Ambassador, J. J. Jusserand, speaking last night at the annual dinner of the Academy of Political Science at the Hotel Astor, without minimizing the gigantic reconstruction task which still confronts his country, painted a glowing picture of the nation's gradual recovery and the fighting spirit of its people. France, he said, like America, "has the proper spirit," and, while she welcomes outside aid and is grateful in particular to the United States, intends to work out her own salvation.

"She intends to save herself and to the best of her ability she will; she has already begun. No bolshevism for her, no fatalism, no fits of despair. She is at work, peasants, laborers, teachers, bourgeois all that have hands and brains are at work."

The speaker went into statistics of financial rehabilitation and said that while Germany in the end must pay, France in the meantime had to borrow.

Irving T. Bush, who presided at the dinner, which, like the other sessions yesterday of the fortieth annual meeting, was devoted to a discussion of American foreign trade relations, talked of the need for developing the American merchant marine, international banking machinery and the other prime units in an international trading machine if we were to compete with foreign nations for foreign trade, now that the war no longer forced European customers to come to our markets.

"We can largely create our own conditions at home," he said, "but the moment we enter foreign trade, we must meet the competition of the world or drop out of the race. Even the wages of labor engaged in manufacturing for foreign markets are leveled by this inexorable test of the survival of the fittest."

Lamont Talks of Orient.

Thomas W. Lamont of J. P. Morgan & Company, to whom was assigned the topic, "The Economic Situation in the Orient" said Japan was eager for American capital, American materials and American co-operation in developing her country. In Siberia, he said, sovietism was not of the Red type of Moscow and "it would appear perfectly possible for Americans to trade safely in Siberia." Mr. Lamont said China offered the greatest single opportunity for American trade in the Far East.

Representative Nicholas Longworth said that short of a general revision of all schedules he thought it would be impossible to legislate in the direction of increased revenues from the Custom Houses. He believed disaster and destruction threatened American industry if present tariffs were permitted to continue any length of time after the general resumption of international trade, but was "pretty bearish upon the situation."

Considering the extent of America's duty toward her allies in the late war, Mr. Longworth said he was willing to go any reasonable length to make their paths toward financial and industrial rehabilitation as easy as possible, but he feared abandonment of restrictions on importations would redound more to the benefit of countries which owe us nothing than to that of those largely in our debt.

BANKER KILLED AT FIRE.

Two Other Jersey Volunteer Firemen Hurt by Falling Pole.

EGG HARBOR CITY, N. J., Dec. 9.—J. Nelson Ake, Director of the Egg Harbor National Bank and the Hammonton Trust Company, was killed today when struck by a falling electric light pole while fighting a fire. He was a volunteer fireman and Secretary of the local fire department. Two other volunteer firemen, John Reichenbach and William Ruck, were rendered unconscious and Reichenbach may die.

ASK WHO INSPIRED UNKNOWN'S BURIAL

Lloyd George Evades Question, but London Credits Newspaper Man—Deride Poet Laureate.

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LONDON, Dec. 9.—Two questions relating to the burial of the unknown warrior in Westminster Abbey were asked in the House of Commons today. One was by Sir Harry Brittain, who asked whether, in view of the fact that no commemoration had ever been held in this country which so touched the hearts of the people, if it was possible to record for future history the name of the individual who first publicly made this very beautiful and appropriate suggestion.

Premier Lloyd George said he felt quite sure that the individual, whoever he was, would be quite satisfied with the result of his suggestion.

While the Premier may have reasons for refusing a more categorical answer, it is generally admitted that the first suggestion of the burial of an unknown warrior in Westminster Abbey was made by a newspaper man, J. B. Wilson, news editor of a London paper.

The second question was put by Horatio Bottomley who, referring to the silence of the poet Laureate, Dr. Bridges, on the occasion of the declaration of peace, unveilingof the cenotaph, the burial and other great events of the war, asked would the Prime Minister consider the question of appointing a national poet whose muse was more attuned to the soul of the British nation.

Mr. McNeill asked whether, if the position was to be declared vacant, the Government would appoint Mr. Bottomley to fill it?

Mr. Lloyd George said that so far as he was aware the Poet Laureate had written nothing, but Dr. Bridges had written many poems during the war. It was not considered necessary to make any change.

Colonel Claude Lowther asked if the post should not be offered to Rudyard Kipling.

Several members called out "No."

BOY PLAYING 'MOVIES' SHOOTS COMPANION

Son Obtains Policeman's Pistol and Playmate Uses It 'Like Bill Hart' in Ambush.

Joseph Rooney, ten-year-old son of Policeman Rooney, of the Gates Avenue Station, Brooklyn, took his father's extra service pistol from a bureau drawer in the Rooney home at 51 Brooklyn Avenue, Brooklyn, while the policeman was on duty last night, and went out to play "movies" with Joseph Jackson, eleven, the son of a neighbor. A few minutes later the Jackson lad, who borrowed the weapon to ambush young Peter Waterson, thirteen, of 31 Brooklyn Avenue, pulled the trigger and Watterson dropped unconscious to the sidewalk with a 38-calibre bullet above the heart.

Jackson threw the pistol into the gutter and both he and Rooney fled to their respective homes, where they were soon found by Detectives Duzer and Brady of the Atlantic Avenue Station, who got a full account of the "hold-up" from witnesses. They took the two boys to the Swedish Hospital, to which the wounded boy had been removed. When young Watterson regained consciousness he identified Jackson as the boy who shot him, but told the detectives the other boy had been his playmate.

Senate Honors Late Alabama Member.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Memorial services in honor of the late Senator Bankhead of Alabama were held today by the Senate. Eulogies were delivered by numerous Senators and all other business went over until tomorrow. Among the speakers were the two Alabama Senators, Oscar W. Underwood, Democratic leader, and J. Thomas Heflin, successor to Senator Bankhead; Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, Republican leader, and Senator Townsend, Republican, of Michigan, who succeeded Senator Bankhead as Chairman of the Post Office Committee.

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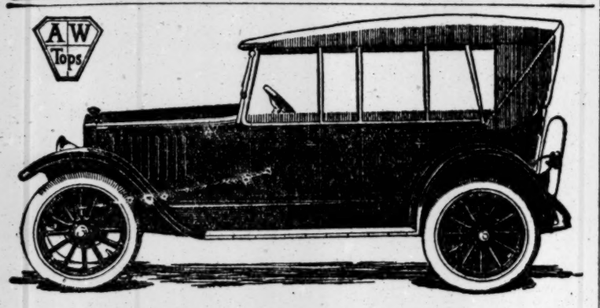

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THE IRISH NOT UNITED.

THOMAS CARLYLE wrote in his "Cromwell" that the Irish "have "never let the Fact tell its own harsh "story to them." He added that they "have said always to the harsh Fact, "'Thou art not that way, thou art "this way!'" It would be rash to affirm that this is a failing confined to the Irish. But for all of us, in or out of Ireland, who desire a peaceful and honorable settlement of the Irish question, it is necessary to keep our minds on the ultimate and controlling facts, whether we like them or not.

One of them is that England can not, she will not, permit Ireland to secede from the empire. An absolutely independent Irish Republic is not a possibility in any circumstances or within any period of time that can now be foreseen. To cry for it is to cry for the moon. Short of independence, England is willing to give Irishmen all reasonable control of their own affairs. "We are all Home Rulers now," declared Lord RIBBLESDALE in the debate in the House of Lords. That is almost literally true. England, even Tory England, has made up her mind that she cannot govern Ireland. She wants Irishmen to govern themselves within the empire.

Another fact is that Irish opinion is not one and indivisible. The Irishmen of Ulster are, of course, at daggers drawn with those of the South. Even those of the South are not of a single mind. They certainly are not as regards the policy of intimidating and terrorizing England by murder. Among the documents captured in recent raids were found strong protests even by officers of the Irish Republican Army against the mad scheme to win freedom by a series of assassinations. This was described in advance as "playing into the hands of the enemy," because certain to provoke forcible retaliation and lead to the disruption of the whole Irish organization. One Irishman wrote: "To be "quite candid, it looks too much like "murder." The Irish Secretary told the House of Commons that he could read "any number of quotations from "men engaged in this murder business "who were sick of it themselves, who "knew that their country was sick "of it and who believed that it was "failing."

This is supported by much evidence coming from Ireland. Most significant are the warnings and threats issued in the name of Sinn Fein against "traitors." By this word is plainly meant men who are breaking away from the extremists. And even the chief of the Irish Republican Army speaks of the danger of a "stampede" from his forces. It is every day becoming clearer that the Irish are not agreed about seeking independence by force. The informal negotiations with the English Government for terms are a proof that the leaders cannot longer hold their followers.

They cannot do it even in the United States. Irish-Americans are at this moment flying at each other's throats. Their organizations are torn asunder and fighting. In The Gaelic American that literary Irishman, Mr. PADRAIC COLUM, writes sorrowfully of "the differences of opinion" between "Irish groups in this country." He goes on:

> We speak of peace between the Irish groups, but we are apt to begin our fraternal greetings in the way celebrated in that fine old Irish tale, "The Little Brawl of Allen." "Well, Finn," said Goll, "thanks be to GOD, "we're all at peace. I don't remember that we had such peace before "since the day I killed your father." "Well, Goll," said Finn, "if you "killed my father that day by a "coward's blow, it was not long after "till I killed your three uncles."

The fact that the Irish are splitting over the insensate plan of wading to independence through slaughter is to their credit. Lifelong American champions of Home Rule for Ireland would despair if they thought the Irish people were united in approving the horrible crimes committed in the name of Irish freedom. That mad attempt to assassinate their way to their goal is visibly breaking down. Irish sentiment is massing against it and demanding that some other policy be tried. This may be hoped to be preliminary to an honest and full facing of all the facts and to an inquiry what Ireland can get and ought to take from England in the way of self-government and the legitimate satisfying of national aspirations.

THE CLOTHING WORKERS.

As to the rights and wrongs of the immediate issue between clothing workers and manufacturers the evidence at hand is not sufficient to form any definite opinion. It is a matter of intimate relations in the shop, and the two factions have issued contradictory statements. Even as to the final breach there has been jockeying, so that it is impossible to say whether it is a strike or a lockout. The pickets are carrying placards that read: "This is a Strike against a Lockout"—to which the employers answer with equal plausibility that it is a lockout against a strike.

As to the general conditions that underlie the strike or lockout there is no possibility of misunderstanding. In the remote past many clothing manufacturers were flagrantly guilty of sweating. The industry is still one of the most unfortunate, owing to the seasonal fluctuations between overwork and unemployment. In the effort to mitigate their hard lot, the workers, after decades of valiant struggle, have built up a powerful and intelligently directed union. Unfortunately for its credit with the general public, the Amalgamated Clothing Workers is perhaps the most strenuously socialistic union in the country.

The preamble of its constitution declares that it shall be of the "new" or "industrial" type, and that its purpose is to "put the organized "working class in actual control of the "system of production" to the end that they shall "be ready to take possession of it." This is no vague threat or Utopian ideal, but a program the first part of which is already achieved and the second part an ever present purpose. In their volume, "The New Unionism in the Clothing Industry," J. M. BUDISH and GEORGE SOULE write: "Sooner "or later the clothing workers are "likely to demand that the control "of the employer and the primary "interest of private capital be elim-"inated from their industry." They add: "There is no way out but for "the unions themselves to assume "the productive control, to develop "into a syndicate or guild." Many of the recent acts of the clothing workers can be explained only with reference to such a purpose. Thus the present strike (or lockout) appears to result from an endeavor to maintain conditions that were exacted during the recent period of capacity employment, and of an unprecedented cost of living, in the face of widespread unemployment and a declining cost of commodities. It is an attempt to suspend in behalf of a few the generally operative forces of demand and supply.

Many of the reforms achieved during the boom times are laudable and worthy of continuance. A system of arbitration under an Impartial Chairman has done much toward the prevention of sweatshop conditions, the maintenance of reasonable standards of production, protection against unjust discharge, and even toward a regulation of production aiming to mitigate the alternating evils of rush work and unemployment. Recent experience has shown beyond question that an enlightened humanity benefits alike employer, employed and the consuming public. The pity is that such advances as have been achieved should now be made the pawns in what, from all present appearance, is a duel for domination in the industry.

THE INTERSTATE COMMERCE REPORT.

The return of the railways to private operation, and the new policies under the Esch-Cummins law, are matters of such moment in railway history that the report of the Interstate Commerce Commission abounds with interesting passages. They would be more important if they were more conclusive, but, when the Commission says that it is "impossible to speak with "confidence as to result until a rea-"sonable period has elapsed," it will be prudent for others to suspend opinion until the outlook is clearer.

It is doubtful whether any one point is more obscure or more important than the relations between State and Federal regulators. On comparatively unimportant subjects the Commission says that the co-operation of the State authorities has "been prompt, cordial and helpful." But the Commission remarks that only half the States approved the rate increases ordered by the Commission. New York and Illinois lead the opposition to the subordination of intrastate rates to interstate regulation. Those two States must therefore bear the brunt of a rebuke to the officials of all the contesting States if they fail in their contention. If they succeed, they must bear the even greater burden of responsibility of plunging the railway rate situation back into the chaos which prevailed before the Supreme Court in the Minnesota and Shreveport cases asserted the rule giving precedence to Federal regulation which was embodied in the Esch-Cummins act.

There could be no gain to any State by prevailing in such a contest. The privilege of making rates lower than interstate rates cannot be confined to any one State. All must have it or none. It is absurd to argue that the States may all cut rates to divert traffic over common carriers to their individual interest as they see it. If all States imitated the seventeen led by New York and Illinois, the result would be such a reduction of interstate rates that the Commission must raise the rates again. Then the States would reduce them again, and the Commission would raise them again. There must be finality somewhere, and properly in Congress, whose first thought is of all. There no longer is glory or popularity to be gained in impoverishing the railways, for it has been proved that that is as bad for the railways' customers as for the railways. Unless signs fail, the courts will sustain the Commission's rates, and will excuse no railway for cutting rates under the shield of local regulations. The State Commissions which think that repeating the errors of the past is "progressive" or popular are inviting a surprise.

Attention also may be called to the difference of opinion between the Commission and the Treasury. The Treasury's finances are not easy, and it shields itself under a ruling of one of its officials against making partial payments to the railways of what it indisputably owes them, as officially determined. Nothing will be paid until the final determination of the total payment, if the Treasury view prevails. The Commission says that partial payments of amounts certainly due are "vital" to the service of commerce by the railways, and it recommends that Congress shall control the contrary decisions of the Controller, if the Treasury can not or will not. To pay nothing until the final decision of disputed items is nothing different from indefinite postponement. That will cost the Treasury as well as the country more than either can afford to lose.

POLITICAL CANCELLATIONS.

Cancellation of orders is just now the subject of bitter commercial complaint. It often amounts to repudiation of a contract. But few stop to think of the political cancellations going on.

A prominent Republican at Washington declares that the country is suffering from a "lack of confidence." Yet the Republican Party contracted to make everybody both confident and happy. Has it gone back on its promise? It undertook to revise and reduce taxes at once. But that order it has canceled. It agreed to bring the highest order of talent and prudence to the management of public finance. Yet now it is considering a resolution in Congress directing the Reserve Bank to extend credit to growers of cotton and wheat and "other products."

This is virtually to put the bank into politics. Do the Republicans wish to be known as "welchers"?

THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Police Commissioner ENRIGHT's defense of the Police Department is likely to leave the public a little incredulous. He tries to show by figures that there has been not only no increase but "a substantial decrease" of murders, felonious assaults, assault with robbery and burglaries in the eleven months of 1920 as compared with the previous five years. If his figures are accurate, there has been a substantial reduction of the number of burglaries since 1915. The number of reported assaults and robberies has increased from a singularly "normal" range between 849 and 886 during the period 1915-18 to 1,133 in 1919 and 1,007 in 1920. The number of felonious assaults has decreased from 3,203 in 1915 to 2,587 in 1920. The number of murders, 190, averages some twenty-eight less than in the previous years, which were curiously uniform with the exception of 1916, in which the total was only 186. Burglaries reported were 11,611 in 1915, in these eleven months 6,830. Was the reporting better in 1915?

Statistics carry little comfort. The number of arrests doesn't necessarily mean anything. The real comparative efficiency of the department in 1915 and in 1920 can only be judged from an exact report of the numbers in each year of undetected principal crimes. That is wanting. It is possible that there are just about so many crimes a year according to the population. It is true enough that one doesn't have to be an "old New Yorker" to remember recurrent "waves of crime." But the public is not interested in Commissioner ENRIGHT's attack on his predecessors or on newspapers. Here is no matter of sensationalism or muckraking, but of ordinary occurrence. Bold crimes, crimes of violence, murders are common. Does the Police Department show much skill or have more than a moderate success in finding the perpetrators of these crimes? Does it possess in any high degree the confidence of the public? Commissioner ENRIGHT says that the police have restrained most serious riots and disturbances. Vigorous prevention of these has been the habitual achievement of the New York police; and it would be impolite to make any reference to the initial remissness of the department at a time of the Interborough strike. Everybody admits that the present policemen as a class are fine, intelligent, trustworthy men. The morale as well as the physique of the force was notably improved under the previous municipal Administration. Is it intelligently and effectively directed? With the best of wishes for the success of Commissioner ENRIGHT's labors, the public will have difficulty in believing it. If the complaints made are unjustifiable and false, the way to prove it is not by means of the pen. It is by demonstrating concretely and visibly that the department does with a reasonable effectiveness prevent crime and detect criminals. Commissioner ENRIGHT sees only normal or subnormal criminal conditions. Terms of psychology satisfy nobody. Every day and night there is bold, violent and often undetected crime. There is so much of it that one is surprised to see the Commissioner lambasting muckrakers instead of using his time to better advantage by nabbing criminals.

SENATOR JOHNSON'S NEW TASK.

When Senator HIRAM JOHNSON left San Francisco for Washington he took with him, The San Francisco Chronicle tells us, "a grip full of docu-"mentary evidence he will present to "Congress in the near future to sup-"port a bill he will introduce provid-"ing for a national Presidential pri-"mary." The remembrance of his victories in certain Presidential primaries is strong in his bosom. He is pondering a bill to take away from the national conventions the power to nominate candidates for President. The Presidential primary was good to him in some cases. He is going to be good to it and make it nation-wide.

One can hardly blame Mr. JOHNSON for thinking ill of national conventions since the Elder Statesmen, who encouraged his ambition till they were frightened by its progress, triumphed over him so cruelly. The Presidential primary was a joke or a humbug in 1920, as in 1916. In many States the direct primary, tried and usually found wanting, is regarded as a sweet dream faded. Its remaining friends are trying pathetically to patch and bolster it up. Mr. JOHNSON's task will be arduous and heroic, and therefore worthy of him. Still, he will be able to enjoy himself, even if he fails. He can unpack his mind of the large collection of acrid reminiscences, comments and gibes accumulated during his adventures and misadventures in the Presidential primary and among the unfeeling professionals of Chicago.

GOV. CORNWELL'S WARNING.

The Pennsylvania Constabulary, a force of men under military discipline, is so efficient that it has been compared with the Northwestern Mounted Police of Canada. The story that comes from Uniontown of the burning of schoolhouses, stores, houses, mines, and even churches, and the terrorizing of the large foreign population of northern Fayette County by outlaws cannot be dismissed as a sensational exaggeration of scattered cases of arson and anti-radical propaganda, because, in the first place, the losses by fire are estimated at $4,000,000, and, in the second place, the Governor has sent a large force of the constabulary into Fayette County to protect life and property. No fewer than five mines have been set on fire, and engineers who have made an investigation say that the fires were started in coal seams in such a way that the theory of accident cannot be entertained.

Northern Fayette County is a wild, rough country, and the miners are foreigners. Most of them cannot speak English. It is in just such a country and in such a community that "Reds" would find a promising field of activity. The theory, held locally, that the burning and terrorizing are the work of Russian emissaries with orders to make a beginning of Sovietism in that part of Pennsylvania seems fantastic, but there is said to be color for it in the seizure of "literature" in a raid upon "Russian Reds" at Brownsville. It is not inconceivable that radicals who have made their way into this country from Russia are so ignorant of political conditions in the United States as to believe that in remote districts where aliens from Eastern Europe are in great numbers attempts to set up Soviet governments after the Russian manner may succeed, at least temporarily, and that the social revolution may thus be started. Even the chiefs of Sovietism in Russia, if the reports of their interviewers are to be credited, never fail to ask whether their doctrines are not making headway in the West and in the United States. Therefore it would not be surprising if Bolsheviki here, whether they come from Russia or are of the American breed, should conspire to sow the seed by destroying property and experimenting in anarchy where the local authorities are weak.

In the light of what is going on in this mining region of Pennsylvania, the warning of Governor CORNWELL of West Virginia that the spreading of Soviet doctrine in America has become a menace is not hysterical, as his critics would have the country believe. The Governor has a fight for law and order in his own State on his hands, and for some time he has been an authority upon desperate radicalism. He testified at the dinner of the Southern Society in this city on Wednesday night that he had received a good deal of Soviet propaganda himself, although Governor of West Virginia. He thinks it is the duty of every good American not to shut his eyes to the fact that the propagandists are insidiously at work in business and civic organizations, in the schools, which everybody should know by this time, and even in the churches. The Governor is right. These are times not only to meet anarchic doctrine with educational methods, but to be on the alert for such manifestations of radical devilry as those which have brought the State Constabulary to Fayette County.

A SNARE FOR GOLFERS.

The amiable people who wish to make Blue Sunday instead of Blue Monday assume an air of sweet reasonableness in their approaches to their intended victims. To the Sunday golfer they appeal to stop and consider what he is doing. He is to "think" of the chauffeur who drives him to the links; also of his caddy; also of the greenskeeper. If he meditates intensely enough, he will give up Sunday golf.

This may sound very simple; it is really subtle. The one thing the golfer must not do is to think. No game is so disastrously sicklied o'er by the pale cast of thought as golf. The golfer who hesitates in order to reflect is lost. His great problem is to keep his mind perfectly blank. The nearer he can approach to mental vacuity the better he plays. Knowing this, he will know how to avoid the snare spread before him by the Rev. Dr BOWLBY. Whatever else he does about golf, he will refuse to think about it. Very likely it was inadvertent thinking which caused General BULLARD to hit himself in the eye with his own golf ball.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

A Rejection Full of Mystery.

There is likely to be wonder all through the country, and some of the wonder probably will find audible expression, as to why the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, by a vote unknown, but described as "overwhelming," decided this week to recommend the rejection of a treaty negotiated with Canada, providing for the extradition, both ways across the border, of men who desert their wives and families.

Senator LODGE wisely caused or let it be known that he was "astonished" by the action of his colleagues on the committee. That "lets him out," as the world's people are wont inelegantly to say, but the other members have remained silent, as yet—a fact that, whether or not it justifies suspicions, certainly will excite dark surmises.

Possibly the explanation—one must seek another than the most easily imaginable—is that in the judgment of the Senators a man who runs away to Canada from the United States, or to the United States from Canada, in order that he may escape his marital responsibilities and burdens, is a worthless fellow whose family, everything considered, is lucky to get rid of him—that he is not worth the trouble and expense of bringing him back, in short. That, however, is not the opinion of the domestic relations experts and the social workers connected with the organized charities. To them, wife desertion is a too familiar crime, which they regard with great seriousness. They think it highly desirable to catch the fugitive husbands, wherever they may be, and do not regard as hopeless the task of making them, when caught, contribute at least a little something toward the support of their natural dependents.

If the Senators are of another opinion, they should tell the reason for the difference. Their attempt to drop the whole matter on the ground that it is "trivial" will not succeed. It will make much talk, not quite all of which will be humorous.

Heavy Cars Move Too Rapidly.

Whoever has been a passenger on one of the Fifth Avenue stages — and that means a large number of New York's residents and visitors —will be disquieted by the accident that befell one of those huge and lumbering vehicles on Wednesday. A frequent comment by members of this multitude voices surprise that like accidents have not occurred before to the stages, for not only are they heavy, but they carry a considerable part of their weight and of their loads high in the air. The manager of the company, however, not only denies that one of the stages overturned on Wednesday—in the face of a lot of evidence, by the way—but he insists that none of them ever has overturned before, and he ought to know as to that. Presumably, therefore, the chances of an upset are by no means as great as they have seemed to be by some timid voyagers on the upper deck. Probably they are so small as to be negligible.

The accident, whatever its exact nature, illustrated a serious weakness in our regulations governing the speed of self-moving vehicles. They all, elsewhere as well as here, take into account only velocity and ignore the fact that momentum—which means delayed stopping in case of an emergency and consequent danger—varies, not as does velocity alone, but as the product of mass or weight and velocity. From the standpoint of safety, a big truck or a Fifth Avenue stage, moving at a given rate, is a very different thing from a light car going at the same speed, but the law does not discriminate. And it should—that is, it should put a lower limit on the permitted speed of the heavy vehicle than on that of the light one.

Veterans Give Counsel.

Revealing again that their columbine innocence has a firm foundation of colubrine wisdom, the more eminent of the Anti-Saloon Leaguers, with much earnestness and solemnity, are telling their relatives whose specialty is Sunday observance that this is no time to start a campaign either for the passage or for the enforcement of the laws called "blue." They say, and truly, that the triumph of prohibition, instead of making easy the way to triumph for the advocates of other restrictions of liberty, has made it harder. And they also say, again truly, that to begin now another effort at interference with habits firmly established and long followed by great numbers of people probably would have no other result than that of making more difficult the task of giving reality to the alcoholic ban.

All this is quite logical, and it shows a knowledge of human nature as it is that is rarely found among advocates of the extreme in anything.

An argument that the eminent personages in the Anti-Saloon League refrain from using, probably with reason, though it is a good one, is that charges neither as many nor as widely admitted can be made against Sunday amusements as against Rum. Almost anybody will confess that wine is a mocker and strong drink raging, but no such multitude assents to denunciation of Sunday sports, particularly those that really are sports and not dubiously legitimate businesses, as are all those played behind a fence with a gate where admission fees are exacted.

Sorrowers Get No Sympathy.

Bitter complaints are made by certain retail dealers in candy that the approach of Christmas has not been marked, this year, by the usual increase in sales—that instead of getting larger, as they should, the sales are getting smaller.

To these sorry tales certain Western confectionary salesmen, convened at Chicago in annual meeting, make response that the fault rests with the dealers themselves—they have not passed on to their customers the reductions in prices made by the manufacturers, but persist in demanding what was justified only when materials were much more costly than now.

The explanation seems to be one that explains. Probably, too, it would serve in a good many other quarters whence are coming moans much like those of the candy dealers.

BLUE LAW ENFORCEMENT.

Ducking Stools in Central Park, and Other Conveniences.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

When the blue laws go into effect and there is nothing to do on Sundays but go to church, the congregations will be so large there will be no room for the fifty-seven varieties your recent correspondent proposes to round up and distribute in blue-painted Black Marias. It would probably be better to take these delinquents direct to the lakes in Central Park, whose banks will then be lined with ducking stools, and apply the remedy before the other victims of the blue laws break loose from church.

A serious problem that will confront the clergy and the police under the blue laws will be getting the compulsory worshippers to their respective homes after services are over, for in view of recent experience the dismissing of a large congregation is a menace to plate-glass windows in the immediate vicinity.

Another objection to the revival of the blue laws is that with no other means of spending money on Sundays there will be an enormous increase in church collections, to dispose of which the clergy may consider a general stampede to Europe necessary, leaving the blue laws and their people behind them, so that the Sunday services would be reduced to taking up the collection and dismissing the people. The sexton could attend to the former and the police to the latter, and the blue-painted Black Marias could take the coin to the bank. The people who felt that their spiritual cravings had not been satisfied by such abbreviated services could devote the rest of the day to an after-service of perforating plate-glass windows in which the moistened victims returning from Central Park would gladly join them.

All sextons should be required to keep all ecclesiastical ash barrels not filled with sermons well supplied with bricks for devotional purposes.

As no desert is complete without an oasis, please exempt Coney Island from the blue laws. CHURCHGOER.

New York, Dec. 7, 1920.

Greeks Against Constantine.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The "Liberal Greeks" of the City of Philadelphia, in their duty as Greeks by birth and citizens of this great country, unanimously adopted the following resolution and wish to protest to our brother Americans:

"We disapprove of and protest against the present Greek Government's declared intention to restore to the throne of Greece the ex-King Constantine, who, proving recreant to the traditions of the Hellenic people and trampling under foot his oath, has betrayed and disgraced our Fatherland.

"It is further resolved that this resolution be cabled to the Government in Athens and that a copy thereof be dispatched to the President of the United States and to the Premiers of England, France and the Father of our Greater Greece, E. Venizelos."

GREEK LIBERAL COMMITTEE OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, Dec. 6, 1920.

An "H" Cabinet.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Prior to the formal announcement of the Harding Cabinet, I presume any ordinary citizen may venture a prediction or suggestion as to the slate, and on the basis of recent "past performances" I name the following:

State—Charles E. Hughes.
Treasury—David Jayne Hill.
War—George Harvey.
Navy—Frederick Hale.
Interior—Herbert Hoover.
Postmaster General—Will H. Hays.

The popular initial would be "H," and that symbol attached to any communication from White House or department would be sufficient endorsement, as well as facilitating "passing the buck," when an emergency arose. DEMOCRAT.

New York, Dec. 6, 1920.

HOG ISLAND—1920.

No more the stretching incandescent blaze,
Burning a silver arc across the night;
Tall derricks idle through unchanging days,
With naught but memories of the splendid fight.

One fancies if these idle ways could dream,
They'd yearn for eager artisans who swirled
About the shaping hulls, a toiling stream
Who flung their answer half across the world.

Today their ships are on the misty lanes,
Off the dim Orkneys and at Singapore;
Steaming to Rio through the tropic rains,
Or slipping past some Australasian shore.

Across the lonely flats the tall ways loom,
Dull timbers etched against the sunset skies;
A steamer's siren cuts the deepening gloom,
While through the roadside weeds the night wind sighs.

THOMAS J. MURRAY.

DENY BLAME TO EXPORTERS.

Accumulation at Plate Ports Laid to High Exchange Rate.

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 9.—Exception was taken today by North American business men and bankers here to the statement in dispatches from New York attributed to Dr. L. S. Rowe, Director General of the Pan American Union, that the present accumulation of $10,000,000 worth of American merchandise on the wharfs of the River Plate ports was the result of such methods as delay in deliveries by some American exporters and the failure of others to fulfill specifications.

They declare that this accumulation was directly due to the high exchange rate. Argentine importers having rejected shipments, pending negotiations to obtain extensions of credit until exchange improves, or because of inability to pay.

"It is true that some of this merchandise was rejected on the ground of delayed deliveries and alleged failure to fulfill specifications," said Marion T. Meadows, manager of the United States Chamber of Commerce of Argentina, "but there are millions of dollars' worth of perfectly good American goods in this accumulation. The excessive price of the American dollar is the fundamental cause, and the question of deliveries and specifications is only incidental to this situation."

FIX PALESTINE FRONTIERS.

French and British Agree on Them —Water Supply Guaranteed.

LONDON, Dec. 9 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency).—The question of the Palestine frontiers has been satisfactorily adjusted by the French and British Governments, says a statement issued today by the Zionist organization here.

Final settlement of the Yarmuk River and its tributaries, as well as the upper Jordan, has been left to the decision of representatives of the French Government and Zionist engineers, but such decision will be rendered only after representatives of both sides have actually gone over the ground together. In the event that no agreement is arrived at the matter will be referred to the two Governments concerned.

The statement says it is understood the French Government has promised to deal liberally in the matter, and that in any event Palestine's water supply is guaranteed.

SECRET CONSISTORY DEC. 15

Pope's Allocution to Cardinals Will Not Be Published.

ROME, Dec. 8.—It is improbable that the allocution to be delivered by Pope Benedict at the secret consistory to be held on Dec. 15 will deal with the resumption of diplomatic relations with France, according to well informed circles at the Vatican.

The question of a Franco-Vatican understanding has not as yet been completely settled, it being necessary for the French Senate to give its approval. The Senate, however, will not discuss it before January, at least, and therefore it is not likely that the Pontiff will express any opinion until a definite decision is reached.

According to reliable information from the Vatican, Pope Benedict intends to continue the custom, which he restored, of not permitting the publication of allocutions he delivers at secret consistories in the presence of Cardinals only.

PENROSE FOR BONUS BILL.

Senator Says Congress Will Settle Matter Before Next Spring.

Special to The New York Times.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Dec. 9.—Senator Boies Penrose, who is here for rest, favors a bonus for soldiers.

"I firmly believe our soldiers should have a bonus for their services in the late war," the Senator declared. "I am sure suitable provision will be made. Although the matter has not been fully threshed out, definite steps are now being taken to present it before the next Congress. I expect to go to Washington shortly, and we will begin to hold hearings upon the question.

"The exact character of the bonus will have to be carefully worked out, but I am sure the matter will be settled before Spring."

The Senator expressed himself as deeply interested in the proposal to increase the tax on small incomes, but declined comment on the move for strict Sabbath observance.

LONG WEATHER FORECASTS.

Six Months or a Year Will Be Predicted in Future, Astronomer Says.

OTTAWA, Dec. 9.—Weather forecasts for months ahead will be possible within a few years as a direct result of solar observation, R. M. Stewart, assistant director of the Dominion Observatory, today told the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada.

The sun is the great influence over varying weather conditions on the earth and recent observations of it have led to belief that observatories will be able to predict with accuracy the general trend of weather for six months or even a year ahead, he said. To be able to foretell the amount of precipitation and the general temperature for several months in advance may take fifty or even a hundred years of observation, he added, but expressed the confidence of the observatory that this end would be reached.

AUSTRIA ELECTS PRESIDENT.

Dr. Michael Hainisch Chosen by the National Assembly.

VIENNA, Dec. 9 (Associated Press).—Dr. Michael Hainisch was today elected President of Austria by the National Assembly.

The election of Dr. Hainisch came after three days of balloting, the Assembly compromising on his name as the Federal President, and the Pan Germans finally combining with the Christian Socialists.

Dr. Hainisch, who is known as a Socialist writer, stands between the Pan Germans and the Social Democratic Party.

Dr. Hainisch is a prominent Socialist and was elected a member of the Austrian Parliament in 1909. He was born in Gloggnitz, Lower Austria, in 1858, and was educated in the Universities of Vienna, Leipsic and Berlin.

JAPAN DISAVOWS LETTER.

Threat to British Missionaries Was Sent by an Officer.

TOKIO, Dec. 8.—Responsibility for a letter sent to Canadian missionaries at Chang Tao, Manchuria, by a military commission, giving warning that any spiritual or material assistance given to Korean malcontents by British missionaries would lead to a breach in the good understanding between Japan and Great Britain, has been disavowed by the Foreign Office here.

The British Government has been informed that the Foreign Office had no knowledge of the letter. Officials privately declare that it was the work of a single officer.

CO-EDS TO RULE THEMSELVES

Vote for Self-Government at University of Pittsburgh.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 9.—A "Declaration of Independence" was signed by the co-eds of the University of Pittsburgh when the women students voted unanimously for self-government at a mass meeting here yesterday.

Under the declaration the Women's Activities Association, recently organized, is empowered to rule on questions of social life, discipline, the honor system, health, scholarships, and housing of women students. Miss Tayra Amos, dean of the women students, announced that the rules and regulations would apply to "women only."

WOMEN FOR CABINET POST ON EDUCATION

Organize Fight to Get It, While Not Opposing Public Welfare Department.

TO REVIVE CONGRESS INDEX

Leaders Say They Represent 10,000,000 and Prepare Big Drive to Stir Nation.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Representatives of national women's organizations, having a membership of more than 10,000,000 "new voters," met today and announced their opposition to that feature of the proposed reorganization plans suggested by Senator Medill McCormick of Illinois and Senator Kenyon of Iowa, which would create a new department of public or social welfare that would submerge the proposed department of education to which the women stand committed.

The national leaders of the women declare that while their organizations have as yet taken no stand in regard to creating a department of public welfare, they insist that there be established a separate and distinct department of education with a Secretary in the Cabinet.

The organizations represented were the National League of Women Voters, by Mrs. Maud Wood Parker, the President; the Mothers' Congress and Parent Teachers' Association, by Mrs. Milton P. Higgins, its President; the General Federation of Women's Clubs, by Miss Ida Hardford, Washington, Secretary, and the National Educational Association, by Hugh S. Magill, Field Secretary. It was also stated at the meeting that the National Council of Jewish Women, Woman's Trade Union League and the Daughters of the American Revolution have indorsed the education program and will lend their support.

Plans for organizing a lobby, it was announced, are well under way. The country is being divided into districts with representatives of the different organizations serving on the local committees and working under the direction of women Captains. It will be the duty of those committees to conduct meetings, visit business men, labor leaders and civic bodies, carry to the women in the homes the message of education, and see that the communities are made fully aware of what is happening in Washington.

The old suffrage index on Congress is now being revised on the basis of the election.

This movement of the women is viewed with some surprise on Capitol Hill, as the impression has gained ground there that the "new voter" would support the proposed welfare plan on sentimental grounds. It was to correct this impression that today's meeting was held. The leaders interviewed said that while they wished it understood that they were not taking any stand on a department of public welfare they would take no stand until authorized so to do by the votes of their members—they would oppose any plan which would submerge education and which failed to recognize education as of primary importance deserving the dignity of a Government department with its head a Secretary in the President's Cabinet.

DENIES CABRERA IS HARMED.

Guatemalan Minister Says Former Dictator Is Not Confined in a Cell.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Dr. Julio Blanchi, the Guatemalan Minister to the United States, called at the State Department today and and conferred with American officials regarding the situation growing out of the introduction by Senator Moses of New Hampshire, a member of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, of a resolution calling for information regarding conditions in Guatemala, which, it is charged, are lowering the prestige of the United States throughout Central America.

The Moses resolution seeks to have the Senate ask the Secretary of State, if not incompatible with the public interest, to transmit to the Senate such information as he may possess on the subject of the imprisonment of Estrada Cabrera, former President of Guatemala by the present Government, which some months ago overthrew the Estrada Cabrera Government.

In reply to the resolution introduced by Senator Moses, Dr. Blanchi, the Guatemalan Minister, declared tonight that Estrada Cabrera was receiving all the comforts possible under the circumstances. The former President is in a prison which was fitted up especially for his comfort and protection, the Minister explained. He is the only prisoner confined in the building, and has three rooms for his use, as well as a yard adjoining in which he can take his exercise. Running water and a private bath were put in for the ex-President, he said.

Benton McMillin, American Minister to Guatemala, who has been in the United States on leave of absence for some weeks, was also at the State Department today and talked with officials. Mr. McMillin was one of the diplomats present when the agreement was drawn up at the time Estrada Cabrera surrendered the Presidency last April. In this agreement safe conduct was promised to Estrada Cabrera and legal guarantees as to his property were also given.

ADMIRAL MAYO TO RETIRE.

He Reaches Age Limit, but Is Now Engaged in Haitian Inquiry.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Rear Admiral H. T. Mayo, wartime Commander of the United States fleet, reached the age for going on the retired list of the navy today after more than forty-seven years of service. He has the distinction of having served continuously in a flag command longer than any other Rear Admiral on the list and of having commanded the United States fleet longer than any other naval officer who has held that post in the modern American navy.

Prior to and during the war with Germany Admiral Mayo had charge of the training of nearly half a million men and his command included the protection of most of the American soldiers sent to France. He was in command of the Atlantic Fleet when the United States entered the war and received the title of Commander of the United States Fleet shortly afterward.

Nearly thirty years of Admiral Mayo's long service have been spent at sea, his record showing seventeen years of shore duty. Since his relief as Commander in Chief of the fleet he has been a member of the General Board and now is senior member of the Haitian court of inquiry. He will continue on active service until the court has been discharged, it was said at the Navy Department, and probably will remain a member of the General Board.

DEFENDS FRANCE'S DELAY.

Madrid Paper Contrasts Debts by That Country and Germany.

MADRID, Dec. 9.—In an editorial today El Pais points out as an injustice the bitter newspaper campaign being waged against France for the non-payment of credits amounting to 455,000,000 pesetas, which are carrying interest, while the debt of Germany to Spain for feeding of German refugees during the war, totaling an approximately similar amount and not bearing interest, goes unnoticed.

Meanwhile, adds the newspaper, Germany is demanding payment in gold for merchandise sent to Spain.

COUNT BEUF MARRIES MISS EDITH CANDLER

Count Tito Beuf His Son's Best Man at Ceremony in St. Patrick's Cathedral.

ALEXANDRA EMERY, BRIDE

Daughter of the Hon. Mrs. Alfred Anson Weds Benjamin Moore in St. Bartholomew's Church.

The wedding of Count Carlo Beuf of Genoa, Italy, a son of Count Tito Beuf, and Miss Edith Beatrice Candler, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Candler of New York, was celebrated at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the town house of Mr. and Mrs. Candler, 753 Fifth Avenue. The Rev. Father William Martin of St. Patrick's Cathedral performed the ceremony before a specially arranged floral altar, which the bride and bridegroom approached through an aisle outlined by posts and flowers.

The bride, who walked with her father, wore her mother's wedding gown of white satin draped with old lace and her point lace veil was held by a diamond tiara, a gift from her grandfather and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Post of Strandhome, Bayport, L. I. She also wore a diamond bracelet, the gift of the bridegroom, and carried lilies. Her only attendant was Miss Dorothy Stevens, the débutante daughter of Mrs. Richard Stevens, who was in pale gray and pink chiffon with a hat to match.

Count Tito Beuf was his son's best man, and he was also attended by Captain Carlo Huntington, the Military Attaché of the Italian Embassy at Washington. A small reception followed.

The Countess Beuf is a great-granddaughter of the General Count de Trobriand, and is a niece of the Countess de Rodellec du Porzic, of Mrs. Hamilton Fish Webster, and W. Kintzing and Regis Post. The Count and Countess will live in Italy, the Count being a member of an old Genoese family.

Moore—Emery.

The wedding of Benjamin Moore, the youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Clement C. Moore and a great-grandson of Bishop Benjamin Moore, the President of Columbia College from 1801 to 1811, and Miss Alexandra Emery, the eldest daughter of the Hon. Mrs. Alfred Anson by her first husband, the late John J. Emery, and a granddaughter of the late Brig. Gen. Charles T. Alexander, U. S. A., retired, took place at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon in St. Bartholomew's Church, the Rev. Dr. Leighton Parks officiating.

The bride, who walked with her stepfather, the Hon. Alfred Anson, son of the second Earl of Lichfield, wore a trailing white satin and point lace robe, with a point lace veil, ancestral lace also worn by her mother, and a string of pearls, and carried lilies and orchids. She had no attendants.

Burnham—French.

The wedding of Miss Anne H. French, daughter of the late Mrs. Anne Warner French and granddaughter of Mrs. Anna R. Warner of this city, and Edward W. Burnham, also of this city, formerly of St. Paul, Minn., took place at four o'clock yesterday afternoon in the Chantry of St. Thomas's Church, the Rev. John Fearnley of St. Mary's Hall, Burlington, N. J., officiating. The ceremony was followed by a large reception at the Hotel St. Regis.

The bride, whose uncle, Richmond Warner, gave her away, wore a white satin gown trimmed with old point lace and a long tulle veil fastened with sprays of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and white orchids. Miss Ianthe Bronson, the maid of honor and the bride's only attendant, was in green chiffon over cloth of silver and carried Ophelia roses. Phelps Ingersoll acted as best man and the ushers were Wallace Jones, Guy O'Sullivan, Frank Shephard and Noyes Bright.

Mackenzie—Wickham.

The marriage of Miss Louise Floyd Wickham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hill Wickham of Flushing, L. I., and Donald Mackenzie, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Thomas Hanna Mackenzie, took place at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents. The bridegroom's father, who is pastor of the First Reformed Dutch Church, performed the ceremony.

Davison—Da Costa.

Miss Florence Alma Da Costa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Da Costa of Rockville Centre, L. I., was married to Lewis William Davison, also of Rockville Centre, yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, on Ocean Side Road. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Davison left for an extended honeymoon trip.

ENGAGEMENTS.

Miss Dorothy Lyon Betrothed to Fargo Balliett.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving W. Lyon of Rye, N. Y., announce the engagement of their sister, Miss Dorothy Lyon, to Fargo Balliett.

Miss Lyon is the daughter of the late Whitney Lyon of Larchmont, N. Y., and is a graduate of Dana Hall, Wellesley. Mr. Balliett is the son of Mrs. Louis J. Balliett of this city, and the great-grandson of W. G. Fargo, founder of the Wells Fargo Express Company. He is a member of the class of '20 at Yale, and is with the banking firm of Imbrie & Co. During the war he served in the Field Artillery.

The wedding will probably take place in the Spring.

Curtis-Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Clark Curtis of 2 West Sixty-seventh Street announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Helen Curtis, to McPherson Holt, a son of Mrs. Charles Holt of Chicago. Mr. Holt was in the aviation service during the war. He is a graduate of Williams College, and also graduated from the Harvard Law School. The marriage will take place in the near future.

Winston-Frothingham.

Mr. and Mrs. George Scott Winston of Boston announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Anna Warren Winston, to William Bainbridge Frothingham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Frothingham of Boston, formerly of Philadelphia. Miss Winston made her début several seasons ago. Mr. Frothingham is a senior at Harvard and is a brother of Huntington W. Frothingham of this city.

Ballard-Mossman.

Charles Wiley Ballard of 230 West Seventy-sixth Street has announced the engagement of his daughter, Miss Rosamond Egleston Ballard, to J. Malcolm Mossman of this city, son of Mrs. J. M. Mossman. The wedding will probably take place early in the coming year.

Miss Sanford to Wed Tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Moreau Reynolds of Glen Ridge, N. J., have issued invitations for the marriage of their niece, Miss Margaret Coventry Sanford, to Lieutenant Maurice Sexton Stevenson of Kansas City, which is to take place tomorrow evening. Owing to the recent death of the bride's father, William Moore Sanford, only the immediate family and a few intimate friends will attend.

SOCIAL NOTES

New York.

Col. E. M. House of 112 East Seventy-fourth Street, will entertain at luncheon tomorrow.

Mrs. John G. Elliott and Miss Aline D. Elliott have returned from London, and will spend the Winter with Mrs. James Elliott at 13 West Fifty-fourth Street.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Sage have come from Albany on a visit, and are at the St. Regis.

Miss Elisabeth Marbury and Miss Elsie de Wolfe will entertain at dinner tomorrow evening at 123 East Fifty-fifth Street.

Mrs. Robert A. Gardiner and Miss Alexandra D. Gardiner have arrived from East Hampton, L. I., and are at 1,155 Park Avenue.

Mrs. J. Wright Brown will give a dinner on Dec. 22 for Mr. Brown's two debutante nieces, the Misses Dorothy D. Brown and Julia B. Fincke, for whom a large dance is to be given that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Mitchell have issued invitations for a musicale at their home, 935 Fifth Avenue, on Tuesday evening next, at which Rafaelo Diaz of the Metropolitan Opera and May Muske, the 'cellist, will appear.

Mrs. Vincent Astor will open her house next Thursday afternoon for the first of a series of lecture-musicals, to be given under the auspices of the Advisory Council of the Schola Cantorum. The remainder of the series will be given at the homes of Mrs. Otto H. Kahn, Mrs. Arthur Curtiss James, Mrs. Charles B. Alexander, and Mrs. John Henry Hammond.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fitz Hugh Whitehouse gave a dinner last evening at the Ritz-Carlton, where Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Jay, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Kip, and Mr. and Mrs. Griswold A. Thompson also entertained dinner parties.

Miss Beverly Beebe of Talbot County, Md., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Rudolph Neeser, in Morristown, N. J., to remain until February.

Captain and Mrs. Gipsy Pat Smith are sailing on Dec. 15 on the Adriatic for England. Mrs. Smith was formerly Miss Karin Tjaeder, and a step-grandC. Richard Tjaeder, and a step-granddaughter of Mrs. Samuel Thorne. They were married on April 30 last.

Mrs. Henry C. Valentine is to give a reception this afternoon with dancing at her home, 131 East Sixty-sixth Street, for her granddaughter, the débutante daughter of Langdon B. Valentine.

Mrs. Henry M. Ferriday of 31 East Fiftieth Street will introduce her daughter, Miss Carolyn W. Ferriday, at a reception this afternoon.

Mrs. Albert H. Wiggin, Mrs. E. R. Tinker, Mrs. Ernest Blardot and Mrs. Henry F. Tideman will give dinners tonight preceding the dance of the Lafayette Guild of the Flower Hospital at Delmonico's.

Miss Anna O'Gorman is head of the dance committee for the benefit dance which the Junior League of the Catholic Centre for the Blind will give tonight at the St. Regis. The first of the series of three dances given by the Association of the Alumni of the American Academy in Rome will be held this evening at the Plaza.

Six hundred attended the dance for the Grosvenor Neighborhood House held last night at the Ritz-Carlton. There was general dancing and bridge. Mrs. Samuel Sloan Walker, Mrs. Henry M. Post and the Misses Christina M. Nichols, Mary Hurd and Sarah Tod Bulkley were in charge of the affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Gibson entertained a large dinner party at Delmonico's last night. Prime Minister Wiliam S. Whitehead also had a number of friends there for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman D. Newcomb of New York have taken the Walker Fearn cottage for the Winter season. Mrs. Newcomb had tea yesterday with Mrs. Alexander P. Humphrey of Louisville, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Hitt are here from Washington and will be at the Homestead for a fortnight.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Townsend of Orange, N. J.; Mrs. E. E. Heywood of Sharon, Pa.; Edward B. Fuller of Trenton, H. C. Blackwell, A. C. Mason and C. L. Fulkert of New York were arrivals yesterday at the Homestead.

Russel C. Jones left yesterday for his home in New York after passing three weeks at the Homestead.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville E. Ingalls of New York and Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Brooks Jr. of Philadelphia rode yesterday morning to Healing Springs and the Cascades.

MRS. C. A. HUDSON, HOSTESS

Gives a Luncheon for Her Debutante Nieces, Misses Fincke and Brown.

Mrs. C. Alan Hudson of Short Hills, N. J., and this city, entertained yesterday at the Ritz-Carlton with a large luncheon for her débutante nieces, the Misses Julia Brown Fincke, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin C. Fincke, and Miss Dorothy D. Brown, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Brown.

The guests were seated at four tables decorated with pink roses and were the Misses Felicia Fisk, Sally Atha, Isabel Rockefeller, Cynthia Bigelow, Mary Cameron, Elizabeth Lee Dodge, Janet Croll, Isabella Wood, Ellen Randolph, Juliet Chisolm, Katherine Morris, Laura Harding, Dorothy Newton Sharp, Frances Norton, Annie Burr Auchincloss, Marguerite Doubleday, Elizabeth Clarke, Martha Ottley, Virginia de Haven, Elizabeth Meeker, Eliza A. Parish, Mary Van R. Cogswell, Helen Hagen, Cornelia Sage, Lucy Byrd, Suzanne du Vivier, Gwendolyn Thompson, Betty Thompson, Eleanor and Katharine Hurd, Helen Armstrong, Mary Wistar Morris, Helen Trevor, Barbara Kissel, Katharine Lispenard Seabury, Urling Valentine and Eleanor Potter.

TWO DESCRIBE HAZING.

St. John's Students Say They Were Beaten With Slats Until They Bled.

Special to The New York Times.

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 9.—Vincent L. Matassi and Joseph V. Maranto, two students who were victims of the recent hazing at St. John's College at Annapolis, told today the story of their experiences as they related them to the Faculty and State's Attorney Monroe.

They furnished names of six other students, who, they said, had been "slatted," and gave names of men they declared were ringleaders in the hazing at the college. They declared that conditions are worse there now than they were before the sophomores signed a pledge to refrain from certain forms of hazing, and that nearly the whole freshman class has announced its intention not to return after the Christmas holidays.

Matassi and Maranto said they quit the college Friday morning after they had been beaten so badly with clubs and slabs of wood by eighteen men that they bled and that they have been unable to sit down since, they said.

"The hazers," they said, wore handkerchiefs in Western fashion, covering the face under their eyes. Most of them wore bathrobes. They awakened us and three men held our arms and heads down, while two held our feet. They turned us over and beat us so severely that blood came and big welts were raised. The men carried clubs and flat pieces of wood about a foot and a half long.

"Each man took two turns at 'paddling' us. We have not been able to sit down in comfort since."

The boys described various other indignities to which they had been subjected.

Harriman National Bank Dinner.

A dinner and dance of the officers and employes of the Harriman National Bank will be held at the Biltmore tomorrow evening. Joseph W. Harriman, Bryan L. Kennedy, John A. Noble, Frederick Phillips, Thomas B. Clark Jr., Orlando H. Harriman, William A. Burke, Hubert F. Thomas, Charles F. Koth, H. B. Fonda, Morton Waddell, William B. Sheppard, Frederic S. Bowen and M. S. Billaire are among those who will attend.

To Show Film of Vatican.

The first presentation of the film "The Canonization of Joan of Arc," which is the only moving picture ever taken of the inside ceremonies of the Vatican, will be given its first production at the Hotel Plaza on Dec. 18 at the Christmas Festival and Mistletoe Dance which is to be held there in order to raise funds for the College of New Rochelle.

BENEDICT ESTATE GOES TO DAUGHTERS

Will Provides Trust Fund for Each, With Gifts to Hospitals on Their Deaths.

OPHTHALMIC GETS $150,000

Flower Will Also—C. B. Harmon, Son-in-Law, Barred From Share.

Special to The New York Times.

GREENWICH, Conn., Dec. 9.—The will of Commodore Elias C. Benedict, the famous yachtsman, which was admitted to probate here today, divides the bulk of the estate into three trust funds for the benefit of his daughters, Mrs. Martha B. Turnbull of Morristown, N. J.; Helen B. Hastings of Old Westbury, L. I., and Louisa B. Harmon of Greenwich.

The will further provides that, on the death of each daughter, the sum of $50,000 shall be paid from her trust fund to the New York Ophthalmic Hospital, $50,000 to Flower Hospital in New York and $70,000 to the Greenwich Hospital. Thus the two first hospitals will eventually receive $150,000 each and the third one $210,000. The daughters have power to dispose of the remainder of the trust funds by will on their deaths. Nothing in the will suggests the total value of the estate. Cash gifts of $35,000 each are made to each of the daughters.

The will provides, however, that no part of the money or property left to Mrs. Harmon shall go to her husband, Clifford B. Harmon, the aviator and motion picture man. Mr. Harmon was a balloonist and one of the most prominent of the early fliers. For many years Commodore Benedict and his son-in-law were on very close terms, and the estrangement is said to have taken place recently for some cause which has never been made public.

Commodore Benedict had for many years made a hobby of collecting the correspondence of celebrated persons, and he leaves all letters of curious or historic value to his daughter, Mrs. Turnbull, to be disposed of as she pleases.

It is provided that the contents of his houses in New York City and in Indian Harbor shall be disposed of at the earliest possible moment. A number of gifts ranging from $500 to $1,500 are left to old employes. A codicil revokes clauses providing for the reversion of parts of the three trust funds to his grandchildren, and leaves provision to be made for them by their mothers.

TO CLOSE SUNDAY THEATRE.

Directors of Provincetown Players Charged With Violating the Law.

James Light and George Cram Cook, directors of the Provincetown Players who have been presenting Eugene O'Neill's play, "Emperor Jones," at a series of Sunday night performances, were summoned yesterday to answer in Jefferson Market Court this morning to a charge of violating the law against Sunday theatricals. The play has been one of the sensations of the season and has been attended largely (taking into consideration the capacity of the theatre), by professionals.

Mr. Light said last night that the players had engaged Harry Weinberger as their lawyer and would fight for the right to perform on Sunday on the ground that the organization is a private club. Mr. Light thought the summons was obtained by Powell Crichton, attorney for the New York Sabbath Committee, but Mr. Crichton said he merely had called the attention of the police to the performances. Mr. Crichton added that his organization aimed to preserve the civil Sunday and protect those who do not wish to work on Sunday. He disclaimed any connection with the Lord's Day Alliance and expressed emphatic disapproval of "Bowlbyism," which, he thought, was seriously hurting the Sunday movement.

The text of the threatening letter which led the Rev. Dr. Harry L. Bowlby, secretary of the Alliance, to ask for police protection for his home in East Orange was made public yesterday. It was headed by a rudely drawn black hand, and the inscription, "One of these fingers will pull a sure trigger," and said:

"Just a few lines as a friend's warning, if you are a friend, but if not despite your idea of publishing your face in the paper and what you are going to do in regards to putting a poor bootblack out of business and a few other things. Such dumbheads as you have made this a criminal country full of crimes instead of stopping the crimes, as should be your job. So just watch your step because you are the biggest criminal in this country. How are you going to travel around and talk on the subject you claim in the paper on your job?

"Only on graft you are getting out of it. You as a minister that's helping crime along just for what you are getting out of it. Why, I believe in your own heart you would kill for money, but watch your step, as you are one of the biggest criminals in this country. For a fair warning, just calm down and be quiet. If you don't, there's going to be the nicest little piece of copper-covered lead let the daylight shine through your heart that ever came to God's country. Now, if you want to stay in this world and take care of your family, change your mind d—m quick if you know what's good for you. Take my advice and stop right where you are or your friends will be putting flowers on your grave. You got your cards in your church if you do what's right and not be pulling the wool over our eyes all the time. So, one last warning—stop where you are."

The letter was signed "Black Hand."

REPORTS ON AERONAUTICS.

Advisory Committee Urges Federal Regulation of Commercial Aircraft.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The creation in the Department of Commerce of a Bureau of Aeronautics, to be headed by a Commissioner of Air Navigation charged with Federal regulation of commercial air traffic, the licensing of pilots, aircraft and landing fields and all other aviation details not military in character, is advocated in the sixth annual report of the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, submitted to the President and Congress today.

Other recommendations include adequate appropriations for the development of military and naval aviation, coordination of naval aviation in a bureau of naval aeronautics to be administered by a chief of naval aviation, and extension and development of the postal air service.

Aid Women's League for Animals.

Mrs. James Speyer opened her house at 1,058 Fifth Avenue yesterday afternoon for a meeting in connection with the New York Women's League for Animals and the rummage sale which the league is to hold today at the Animal Hospital, 350 Lafayette Street. Many donations have been made for the sale, which is to open at 10:30 o'clock. Miss Viola Allen has contributed several boxes of wigs which she wore in the various plays in which she appeared.

Mrs. Lewis Gouverneur Morris and Miss Florilla Niles are in charge of the sale.

NAGEL AIDED RUMELY IN PURCHASE OF MAIL

Testifies He Tried to Interest Mrs. Busch—Patten, Ahnelt and Metz Bought Stock.

Charles Nagel, Secretary of Commerce and Labor in the Cabinet of former President Taft, was the principal witness called by the defense yesterday in the trial in Federal Court of Dr. Edward A. Rumely, S. Walter Kaufman and Norvin R. Lindheim, lawyers, on a charge of concealing from the Government in 1917 the alleged German ownership of The Evening Mail.

The witness said he met Dr. Rumely in Chicago soon after the war began, and that the defendant asked him to subscribe for the purchase of a newspaper in which Dr. Rumely intended to give unbiased accounts of the war.

Mr. Nagel said that during his talk with Dr. Rumely the name of Augustus Busch, son of Mrs. Adolphus Busch, widow of the St. Louis brewer, was mentioned, but that he told Dr. Rumely he did not believe Mr. Busch would subscribe for stock in the newspaper. He said he communicated with Mrs. Busch, who was then in Europe, at Dr. Rumely's request, and identified excerpts from his letter to Mrs. Busch, in which he stated that false reports of conditions in Germany published in the newspapers in this country were creating prejudices. He said the letter was sent to Mrs. Busch in Berlin, but never reached her.

James A. Patten, Chicago wheat broker, said he was a personal friend of Dr. Rumely and purchased $25,000 worth of the stock of The Evening Mail.

He said Dr. Rumely brought Dr. Albert to see him in Chicago to arrange for the purchase of 60,000,000 bushels of wheat for shipment to Germany before the United States declared war on that country.

William P. Ahnelt, President of the Pictorial Review Company, who followed Mr. Patten on the stand, declared "My sympathies were with the Allies, but my heart was for the fatherland." He said that at Dr. Rumely's request he bought $10,000 worth of the stock of The Evening Mail.

Herman Metz, former Controller, the last witness called by the defense, said he purchased $25,000 worth of stock in The Evening Mail when Dr. Rumely got control of the newspaper.

ORDER FEDERAL SURVEY OF THE UNEMPLOYED

Department of Labor to Canvass Situation in Sixty-five Industrial Centres.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—An inquiry to determine the extent of unemployment in sixty-five principal industrial cities of the country was announced today by the Department of Labor. The decision to this effect was made public after Secretary Wilson had conferred with nine regional directors who have been appointed to conduct a survey of conditions in co-operation with the present field force of the United States Employment Service and other State and Federal agencies.

The industrial classification of the Census Bureau will be utilized in making the survey, which will take into consideration only industrial concerns with a minimum of 500 employes. The first results are expected to be ready for announcement by Jan. 15, and it is the intention subsequently to issue unemployment statistics bi-weekly.

TWO UNION LEAGUE TICKETS

Members Vote on "Administration" and "Opposition" Committee Candidates.

A Nominating Committee to select candidates for officers of the Union League Club, to be voted on at the Jan. 13th meeting, was chosen last night after two tickets had been put into the field, each containing seven names.

The so-called "administration" group was comprised of William Warren Barbour, Joseph H. Emery, Samuel W. Fairchild, Charles E. Rushmore, Howard C. Smith, Guy E. Tripp and Albert W. Wiggin. The "opposition" slate was made up of Wilson P. Foss, Warren M. Healey, Thomas B. Kent, William L. McKenna, Reuben L. Maynard, Benjamin B. Odell and Charles S. Whitman. Under the by-laws of the club any twenty-five members may enter a group of seven members as candidates for the Nominating Committee, and 125 members, headed by Mortimer C. Addoms, prepared the list known as the "opposition" ticket.

The officers whose terms expire on Jan. 13 are Henry P. Davison, President and John W. Herbert, Cornelius N. Bliss Jr., James Wilkinson and George T. Wilson, Vice Presidents.

It was denied at the club that there was dissension among the members. The fact that two Nominating Committees were in the field was not unusual. It was explained, although all information as to which committee was successful was refused, on the ground that the matter was purely a club affair.

FATHER HALPIN RENEWS JESUIT VOW AS HE DIES

Aged Chaplain of New Rochelle College Received Back Into the Order He Had Left.

The Rev. Patrick A. Halpin of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of New York, chaplain since 1909 of the College of New Rochelle, died yesterday at the college of pneumonia that was rendered a fatal illness by the infirmities incident to his age. Father Halpin was born on the ship that brought his mother to this country from Ireland in 1845, and he was fond of joking about the resulting problem of his nationality.

He was ordained after studying at Jesuit Seminary in Woodstock, Md., and for many years taught at St. Francis Xavier and Fordham in this city. He left the Jesuit order some years ago, however, and later Cardinal Farley appointed him Chaplain and Professor of Philosophy at New Rochelle. Last Monday, in his final illness, Father Halpin was received back into the ranks of the Jesuits, a delegate being sent to his bedside by the Provincial to readminister the vows.

George E. Keith, Shoe Manufacturer

BOSTON, Dec. 9.—George Eldon Keith of Brockton, President of the George E. Keith Shoe Company, died in a hospital here today after a short illness. He was President of the Brockton National Bank and a Director of the Old Colony Trust Company of Boston and of the United Shoe Machinery Company.

He entered the employ of his father in Brockton at the age of 15 as a shoemaker. In 1874 he founded the firm which bears his name. From a small shop in Brockton the enterprise grew until it embraced large factories in Middleboro, Boston, East Weymouth, North Adams and Rochester, N. Y.

Frederic Iver Johnson.

FITCHBURG, Mass., Dec. 9.—Frederic Iver Johnson, son of the founder of Iver Johnson's Arms and Cycle Works of this city and who succeeded his father as President of that company, died today at his home here of heart disease. He had recently been interested in pneumatic tire and piano player manufacturing, having left the Iver Johnson concern some years ago. He was a member of several Worcester, Boston and New York clubs.

L. W. THOMPSON FOUND DEAD

New York Lawyer Dies In a London Hotel From Heart Disease.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Lynn W. Thompson, a lawyer of New York, was found dead in a prominent hotel here this afternoon, presumably from heart disease.

Mr. Thompson arrived in England Saturday on the steamer Olympic.

Lynn W. Thompson was an attorney of this city and lived at Larchmont, N. Y. He was 46 years old and a former member of the law firm of Hitchings & Palliser. During the last ten years he had been practicing by himself.

Newton MacMillan.

Newton MacMillan, newspaper man, who retired from active work ten years ago on account of ill health, died Wednesday of cerebral hemorrhage at his residence, 251 West Ninty-seventh Street, at the age of 66. Early in his newspaper work he was with the Laffan News Bureau of this city, The Chicago Evening Post and Chicago Sunday Tribune, and accompanied A. G. Spalding and his baseball team on their foreign tour. He came to this city again in 1900 and spent the succeeding ten years on The Sunday Herald and as an editorial writer for The Morning Telegraph, except for two years at Syracuse, where he founded and edited The Pathfinder, a weekly.

Obituary Notes.

JOHN F. REYNOLDS, Treasurer of the Suncook Mills and of the O'Banon Corporation, died yesterday at Boston. He was maternally descended from Paul Revere and a paternal ancestor, John Reynolds, was the first Mayor of Boston.

GEORGE MIDDLETON BAYNE, lawyer, died Wednesday in his apartment in the Hotel Chelsea.

THEODORE H. SIMMONS, formerly on the editorial staff of The Providence Journal, died Tuesday at Asheville, N. C., aged 48.

ALEXANDER JANDREW, stage carpenter, is dead at his residence, 452 Amsterdam Avenue, aged 65.

LEO HENDERSON of the firm of Henderson & Sons, undertakers, died Tuesday night at his home, 413 West Forty-seventh Street, aged 23.

EDWARD J. FARRELL, for thirty years a foreman of the Department of Highways and an active Democrat in Brooklyn, died of heart disease on Wednesday at the home of his brother, 269 East Fifteenth Street, Flatbush. He was 58 years old.

Miss MARY E. HAVILAND, a retired teacher and a lifelong member of the Society of Friends, died on Wednesday at her home, 30 South Elliott Place, Brooklyn, aged 77 years.

JOSEPH MANUEL CANET, a well-known ship broker of the city and a former resident of Brooklyn, died at his home in Rutherford, N. J., on Wednesday in his forty-seventh year. He was a member of Cambridge Lodge, No. 662, F. and A. M., Orient Chapter, No. 138, R. A. M., Clinton Commandery, No. 14, K. T., and Kismet Temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.

Mrs. SALOME HOEFFLE STEIGER, 80 years old, widow of Sebastian Steiger, a retired merchant tailor of Manhattan, died on Tuesday at her home, 1,642 Forty-seventh Street, Brooklyn.

CHARLES WILLARD MORSE, an engineer, died at his home, 399 Sixth Avenue, South Brooklyn, on Tuesday, in his fifty-fourth year.

GEORGE KOCH, a Pinkerton detective for fourteen years, died of apoplexy on Tuesday at his home, 75 Schaeffer Street, Brooklyn, aged 63 years.

Mrs. KATE McCORMACK ROCK, wife of Edward Rock, an inspector for the Department of Sewers, died on Tuesday at her home, 430 Eighty-sixth Street, Bay Ridge.

HUGH A. THOMPSON, a retired liquor dealer of Brooklyn, died in his fiftieth year on Tuesday at his home, 292 Windsor Place, Brooklyn. He was a brother of ex-Senator James Thompson.

HARRY DOWIE, President of the Harry Dowie Company, produce merchants of 334 Greenwich Street, died yesterday of heart disease at his home, 176 Park Avenue, Mount Vernon, at the age of 77. Before he resigned, two years ago, he was President of the National Poultry, Butter and Egg Association of Chicago.

JOSEPH M. HERMAN, shoe merchant of Boston, died at Atlantic City, N. J., yesterday.

Born.

DENNISON—To Mr. and Mrs. Ethan Allen Dennison of Rye, N. Y., a daughter, Dec. 5, 1920.

Died.

ABBOTT—Suddenly, on Dec. 8, 1920, at his residence, 149 West 105th St., Reuben F., beloved husband of Leonor Chainels Abbott. Funeral service at St. Agnes's Chapel, West 92d St., near Columbus Av., Saturday, Dec. 11, at 11 o'clock.

BAER—Minnie, in her 68th year, wife of the late Michael Baer, beloved mother of Gus and Hattie Kirsh. Services at Meyers's Funeral Parlors, 228 Lenox Av., Friday, Dec. 10, 10 A. M.

BAYNE—George Middleton, on Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1920. Funeral services at his late residence, The Chelsea, 222 West 23d, on Friday, Dec. 10, at 4 P. M. Funeral private.

BECKER—In New York City, Dec. 8, 1920, Arthur J., beloved son of Gustav and Catherine Heine Becker. Funeral service at Chapel of St. Luke's Hospital, Saturday at 11 A. M.

BULLARD—In Boston, on Dec. 8, Katherine Eliot, daughter of the late Louisa Norton and William Story Bullard.

CARTER—At Montclair, N. J., Dec. 9, 1920, Mrs. Cullen L. Carter, mother of Mrs. Jarvis L. Carter. Funeral services at her late home, 41 The Crescent, Montclair, Saturday morning, Dec. 11, at 11 o'clock.

CHURCHILL—Entered into eternal life, Saturday, Dec. 4, 1920, Frederick L. Churchill, aged 65 years. Funeral services were held at the residence, 148 Plymouth Av. South, Rochester, N. Y., Tuesday, Dec. 7, 1920, at 3 P. M.

CLARK—On Monday, Dec. 6, 1920, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Lester, Bronxville, N. Y., Sarah Jane Clark. Services Saturday afternoon at 2:30. Interment Woodlawn.

CLARK—Elizabeth Davidson, widow of Edward L. Clark, formerly of Pittsburgh, on Dec. 9. Services at her late residence, 125 West 16th, on Saturday, Dec. 11, at 11 A. M.

CLAUS—Dec. 9, 1920, Harold, beloved husband of Alice S. Claus, aged 39 years. Notice of funeral hereafter.

DOWIE—At Mount Vernon, N. Y., on Dec. 9, 1920, Harry Dowie, aged 77 years. Funeral services at his late residence, 176 Park Av., Sunday, 3 o'clock.

EARLY—Suddenly, on Dec. 9, 1920, Thomas Eugene Early, dearly beloved husband of Katherine Kane Early. Funeral from his late residence, 1,580 Amsterdam Av., on Saturday, Dec. 11, at 10 A. M.; thence to the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes, 142d St. and Convent Av. Interment private. Kindly omit flowers.

EWEN—At Mount Sinai Hospital, Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1920, Miss Harriet Ewen. Funeral from National Casket Company's rooms, 14 East 39th St., City, 1 P. M. Saturday, Dec. 11. Interment Kensico Cemetery.

FREEDMAN—On Dec. 5, Lewis Herbert Freedman. Funeral services will be held at St. Bartholomew's Chapel, Park Av. and 50th St., on Saturday, Dec. 11, at 10 A. M. Interment at Woodlawn.

GYON—Dec. 8, Herbert Gyon. Services Stephen Merritt Chapel, 223 8th Av., near 21st St., Saturday, 1 o'clock.

HANSIS—Mamie H. (nee Hilderhof), beloved wife of Paul Hansis. Funeral services at her late residence, Lefferts Av., near Queens Boulevard, Kew Gardens, L. I., on Saturday, Dec. 11, at 1 P. M. sharp. Interment Fairview Cemetery, New Jersey.

HALPIN—At New Rochelle, N. Y., the Rev. Patrick A. Halpin, Chaplain of the College of New Rochelle, on Thursday, Dec. 9, 1920. Office will be read in the college chapel on Saturday, Dec. 11, at 10 A. M. Mass at 10:30.

HARWOOD—Suddenly, at Baltimore, Dec. 8, 1920, Ely W., beloved husband of Ethel (nee Heyman), devoted son of Bertha Winkler Harwood, brother of Wallace W. Harwood, Sadie Braude and Adelle H. Seless. Funeral services at Temple Beth-El, 76th St. and 5th Av., Friday, Dec. 10, at 1 o'clock.

HAVILAND—On the 8th inst., Mary E., daughter of the late William and Esther Seaman Haviland, aged 77 years. Funeral from her late residence, 30 South Elliott Place, Brooklyn, on Friday, Dec. 10, at 11 o'clock.

HELBERT—Dec. 9, 1920, M. G. Helbert, aged 78 years. Funeral services Saturday afternoon, 3 o'clock, at residence, 305 West Hortter St., Germantown, Philadelphia. Interment private.

LARSEN—On Dec. 9, Mrs. Louise, beloved wife of John L. and mother of Johanna Larsen. Funeral services Sunday afternoon, 2 o'clock, at her late residence, 118 Lewis Av., Elmhurst, L. I.

LENFESTEY—In San Francisco, Nov. 23, 1920, William P. Lenfestey, father of Mrs. R. R. Vail, Mrs. M. M. Bell, William G. and Percy E. Lenfestey, aged 83 years 8 months and 23 days.

LEWIS—Suddenly, at 571 Park Av., William Hall Lewis, in his 89th year. Funeral private.

MACMILLAN—Newton, Dec. 8. Funeral private. Interment in Riverside Cemetery, Oswego, N. Y., Friday, Dec. 10.

Died.

McWILLIAMS—On Dec. 8, 1920, Martha C. McWilliams, formerly of Brooklyn, N. Y., in her 85th year. Funeral from her late residence, 16 Hamilton St., East Orange, N. J., Saturday, Dec. 11, at 8:30 A. M.; to Church of Holy Name, where requiem mass will be offered for the repose of her soul.

MORISON—Rebecca Newel, widow of the late H. G. O. Morison, early morning of Dec. 8, at St. Paul, Minn., in her 87th year. Funeral at 10 A. M., Dec. 9, in St. Paul Cathedral.

NORTON—On Tuesday, Dec. 7, at Suffern, N. Y., Algernon Sidney Norton, in his 61st year. Funeral services at Christ Church, Suffern, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

O'REILLY—On Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1920, at his residence, 775 Quincy St., Brooklyn, Miles O'Reilly, father of Thomas R., John F. and Helen K. O'Reilly. Funeral on Friday, Dec. 10. Mass of requiem at Our Lady of Good Counsel, Putnam and Ralph Avs., at 9:30 A. M. Interment Holy Cross Cemetery.

PATTON—Suddenly, on Wednesday, Dec. 8, at Ridgewood, N. J., Richard Hawes Patton, aged 16, son of Arthur de Z. and Lucy H. Patton. Funeral service Friday at 3:30 at 35 Washington Place, Ridgewood. Train leaves Jersey City 2 o'clock, Erie Railroad.

PITSHKE—At Stamford, Conn., on Dec. 7, Minnie E., beloved wife of the late Judge William F. Pitshke, in the 62d year of her age. Funeral services at her late residence, 368 West 118th St., New York City, on Friday evening, Dec. 10, 1920, at 8 o'clock. Interment private.

PRICE—On Thursday, Dec. 9, 1920, Josephine Stewart Price, beloved wife of Dr. Henry R. Price. Notice of funeral later.

PRIDE—At Milton Academy, Dec. 5, Nathaniel Hart Pride, son of the late Rev. Edward W. and Charlotte R. Pride. Funeral services private. Please omit flowers. Date of memorial service at Milton Academy will be announced later.

PRINGLE—On Thursday, Dec. 9, 1920, Hannah Elizabeth, widow of James Pringle. Funeral service will be held at her late residence, 39 West 124th St., Saturday, 1:30 P. M.

RUSSELL—At Wallace, Idaho, suddenly, Dec. 8, Fred M. Russell. Funeral at White Plains, N. Y. Announcement later.

RYAN—At Troy, N. Y., Dec. 8, 1920, Timothy J., beloved husband of Kathryn O'Sullivan Ryan. Funeral from his late residence, 425 3d St., Troy, N. Y., Saturday, Dec. 11, at 10 A. M.

SCHAFFNER—At a special meeting of the Board of Trustees of Sinai Temple of Mount Vernon, held on Dec. 8, 1920, the following resolution was ordered spread upon the minutes of the meeting:

The Board of Trustees of Sinai Temple expresses its deepest sorrow at the passing away of Abe Schaffner, one of its founders, its Vice President for five years, its President for seven years, and its Honorary President since his retirement from its Presidency.

Mr. Schaffner's wide experience and capability, his indefatigable energy, his faithful devotion were of incalculable value to Sinai Temple in its religious, educational and communal endeavors. His warm-hearted enthusiasm in his labors in the vineyard of the Almighty was a constant inspiration to his fellow workers. His human sympathy made him the friend of all; he was beloved by all.

Through his death, Sinai Temple and the Jewish community of Mount Vernon have suffered a loss which

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Thursday morning, Dec. 9, on 5th Av., between 38th and 34th Sts., lady's pin seal envelope pocketbook, containing two bank books of North River Savings Bank, Prudential Life Insurance Co. receipt, 2 keys, business cards, between $8 and $10 money and some few private papers. Finder will keep the money, kindly return to Zenker & O'Donnell, 3 East 28th St.

LOST—Certificate No. E-119706 for ten shares Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company common stock, registered in the name of Alexander M. Rosenblum, probably lost in or about No. 120 Broadway, New York City; transfer stopped; appropriate reward. If found please notify Leonidas Dennis, 47 Cedar St., New York City.

LOST—On Oct. 28, a package containing 2 tablecloths, 2 pair sheets and 2 pair pillowcases; this package, consigned to a resident of 788 Riverside Drive, was delivered by messenger to the wrong person; suitable reward for return of the merchandise or for information thereof. Address J. P., 7th floor, 381 4th Av., N. Y. C.

LOST—Lady's handbag (crochet and bead), Friday, Dec. 3; $200 reward and no questions asked if returned with gilt purse, lorgnette and other contents complete to 813 5th Av.

LOST—Wednesday, 6:30, Yellow and White taxi at 90th St., Broadway, brown leather handbag; reward. 2,449 Broadway. Riverside 7020.

LOST—Small Vantine handbag, containing eyeglasses, &c., either on 6th Av. "L" or between 59th and 9th Av., or to 58th and Park; reward. E. H. B., Chelsea 2941.

LOST—Will lady who found money Gimbel's elevator Thursday afternoon kindly communicate Miss Robinson, Broad Av., Englewood, N. J.?

LOST—Black walrus handbag, containing business papers; liberal reward for contents, no questions asked. Siebel, Franklin 3846.

LOST—Pennsylvania R. R. 7% ten-year gold bond 23748, due April 1, 1930; payment stopped; reward. Goldmann, 31 East 31st St.

LOST—An enamel opera glass handle, at Plymouth Theatre, Tuesday evening. Phone Schuyler 2717.

LOST—Horn rimmed eyeglasses, brown case; reward. Room 627, 30 East 42d.

AUTOMOBILE STOLEN—REWARD.
Buick, 1918, model "E" 45 car number 405,904, motor number 400,598, body number 58,819; New Jersey license 31,141; five Norwalk tires; stolen at Jersey City Dec. 8th at 8:30 P. M. Communicate with E. B. Hopwood, 55 John St., New York City. Tel. Beekman 8987.

AUTOMOBILE STOLEN—REWARD.
Kissel, 1920, touring, serial number 2,483, motor number 3,209, New Jersey license 23,790; stolen at Jersey City evening of Dec. 7th. Communicate with E. B. Hopwood, 55 John St., New York City. Telephone Beekman 8987.

AUTOMOBILE STOLEN—REWARD.
Ford, 1920 Sedan, number 4,293,654, New York license 260,856; Firestone tires, Kelsey demountable rims, Decker safety lock; stolen Dec. 4 at 15 Dey St. Communicate with E. B. Hopwood, 55 John St., New York City. Telephone Beekman 8987.

$25 REWARD—Return dark leather suitcase and contents, left in taxi Sunday night from G. C. T. to 267 West 73d St. Phone Columbus 8366.

$5 REWARD—Package photographs lost Bay Parkway L train between 1 and 2 P. M. Tuesday. Return 2,746 Harway Av., Gravesend Beach, Brooklyn.

Jewelry.

$1,000 REWARD
for return of platinum and gold diamond paved four-leaf clover design brooch with large diamond in centre, lost between Oct. 15th and Nov. 4th at or between Glen Cove, L. I., and Columbia Heights, Brooklyn. Marcus & Co., 5th Av. and 45th St.

LOST—LIBERAL REWARD.
Flexible diamond bracelet and pair of drop pendant diamond earrings, forming leaves; last seen on board S. S. Aquitania at time of arrival on Oct. 9. Liberal reward on return to Cartier, 653 5th Av.

LOST—On Madison Av., between 92d and 93th Sts., jet and crystal gold earring; no value except association. Will finder please return to Apt. 21, 1,190 Madison Av.? Reward.

LOST—Tuesday, vicinity J. Edman & Bros., 487 5th Av., and Hotel Belmont, platinum bar pin 2½ inches long, 15 diamonds; very liberal reward if returned to Cashier, Hotel Belmont.

LOST—$250 reward, pearl and diamond bracelet with diamond heart attached, Nov. 13, between Ritz-Carlton, Elysee Restaurant and Globe Theatre. Howard & Co., Jewelers, 14 East 47th St.

LOST—Thursday, gold oval watch fob charm, initials "N. T. B." between 34th St., 52 Vanderbilt Av., by way of Park Av., Grand Central Terminal. Room 1309, 52 Vanderbilt. Murray Hill 10064.

$500 REWARD
for return of heart-shaped pin with pearl in centre, surrounded by diamonds; lost Dec. 7th between West 46th and 74th Sts. I. H. and B. H. Weinberg, 685 5th Av.

LOST—Jade and diamond drop earring, on the west side of Park Av., between 82d and 92d St., about 6:30 Tuesday afternoon. Suitable reward if returned to E. Zabriskie, 969 Park Av.

LOST on Dec. 6th, between East 65th St. and Ritz-Carlton or in Ritz-Carlton, string of pearls with ruby and diamond clasp. Notify cashier at Ritz-Carlton or call Mr. De Fosses at Bowling Green 4600. $2,000 reward.

LOST—Broadway subway, three-stone diamond ring, gypsy setting, and pearl necklace, three-stone diamond catch; suitable reward, no questions asked. F 485 Times.

LOST—Going from Christian Science Church to Bronx Park, Sunday, old cameo brooch; liberal reward. Mrs. T. S. Chapman, Commodore Hotel.

LOST—Diamond and platinum bar pin, about 30 diamonds, between 82d and 42d Sts.; substantial reward. Miss K. C. Walker, 129 East 82d.

LOST—Reward $100, chamois bag, containing 4 pieces of jewelry, two ten-dollar bills. John 3280 for identification. Crowley.

LOST—Lady's gold mesh bag, containing diamond bracelet and cash, in Hudson Theatre; liberal reward. E 374 Times.

LOST—Two-carat diamond ring, vicinity of 86th St. and Broadway, Sunday evening; liberal reward. Phone 6083 Columbus.

LOST—Diamond and platinum wrist watch, between Ritz-Carlton and 54th St. Phone Plaza 6924. 5 East 54th St. Liberal reward.

LOST—Diamond and platinum wedding ring; diamond set in square. Liberal reward. Phone Plaza 6924. 5 East 54th St.

LOST—Platinum bar pin, 1 diamond in centre; liberal reward. Phone Plaza 6924. 5 East 54th St.

LOST—Dec. 5, St. Nicholas Av. bus, cameo pin; reward. Mrs. M. J. Flynn, 746 St. Nicholas Av.

LOST—Ring, blue stone, Vyse Av., Tremont; reward. Reinschmidt, 1,989 Grand Av.

LOST—String pearls, 9th Av. elevated; liberal reward. Room 403, 217 Broadway.

SUBSTANTIAL REWARD—For return of platinum ring set with an emerald and two triangular diamonds, lost Dec. 3, vicinity Grand Central subway station. Walton F. Heley, 100 William St. Beekman 9000.

$250 REWARD
for return of diamond and sapphire bar pin, about 2 inches long, lost Dec. 6, between Cedarhurst, L. I., and West 42d St. and East 75th St. Charlton & Co., 634 5th Av.

REWARD
$500 for return of or any information leading to the recovery of jewelry stolen from the home of Oakleigh Thorne, Millbrook, N. Y. Address W 888 Times Downtown.

$1,200 REWARD
for return of platinum bracelet containing about 32 diamonds lost Dec. 6th between 58th and 63d Sts. Marcus & Co., 5th Av. and 45th St.

$75 REWARD
for return of pearl and jade scarf pin lost Nov. 26, vicinity of Commodore Hotel. Udall & Ballou, 574 5th Av.

Wearing Apparel.

$500 REWARD.
no questions asked, for return of brown mink fur robe, lined with brown broadcloth, lost on or about Nov. 26th. Please address E. A. X., Automobile Club of America, 247 West 54th.

LOST—Fisher animal neck scarf, vicinity 86th St. and Amsterdam Av.; reward. Return to Welling, 160 West 86th.

LOST—Three-skin Hudson Bay sable, Tuesday night, 1:30, in taxi from Folies Bergere; reward. M 125 Times.

LOST — Eighth Av., between 47th and 23d Sts., fur neckpiece, two skins; liberal reward. Phone Chelsea 5402.

LOST—Sable neckpiece; please return to Hotel Seymour, 50 West 45th St. Liberal reward.

Cats and Dogs.

LOST—Neighborhood East 19th St., Monday evening, small female Pekinese, light brown, black face; $100 reward. Chanler, 147 East 19th.

LOST—Gray angora cat, breast, paws white; named "Puffy"; reward; Saturday. Prospect 2336.

$100 REWARD.
Lost, police dog, dark brown, wearing tan leather collar; answers name of Caesar. Return 410 Park Av. Telephone 562 Plaza.

Found.

FOUND—Dec. 4, wrist watch, on 34th St. Write full particulars to X. Y. Z., 110 Laurel Av., Arlington, N. J.

PARIS SEEKS LIGHT ON MOVIE COMBINE

Himmel Coming Here to See About His $100,000,000 Company ($10,000 Paid In).

OPTIONS, DINNERS, PROMISES

His Ministerial Letters and Personal Eloquence Fail to Stir New York Managers.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Dec. 9.—There is considerable interest here in the movements of Andre Himmel, who sailed for New York last Saturday on the Aquitania. Himmel went to America early in the Summer with letters from the Ministry of Fine Arts, accrediting him as their representative in connection with the Franco-American cinema combine scheme which he had put before the Minister. He is also said to have produced in America letters from the Ministry of Commerce, but the authenticity of the latter is questioned here. Ambassador Jusserand sent inquiries to Paris about Himmel.

Himmel told in America stories about the extraordinary number of European halls his group controlled, and on July 22 incorporated in Delaware the Franco-American Cinematograph Company, with an authorized capital of $100,000,000 and Howard K. Wood, President of the United States Corporation, 65 Cedar Street, as one of the incorporators.

Himmel returned to Paris in September, declaring that he was President of a gigantic trust with a capital of $100,000,000, with offices at 35 Nassau Street, New York. Up to that moment there was no knowledge here of any French concern behind him, nor had he, so far as known here, any cinema interests elsewhere in Europe. Since his return he has given banquets and held out large promises.

He attracted prominent men such as ex-Ministers Dalimier, Couba, Marcel Prevost, Geofer, &c., and signed contracts to purchase the Excelsior Building in the Champs Elysees and a big circus. He also paid 100,000 francs for an option on six Auber halls in Paris.

Other cinema companies would not consider his proposals and are holding a meeting on Saturday to consider him. He appears to have a directoral committee here and to have obtained subscriptions of 1,000,000f. for stock in his enterprise.

The Company Formed Here.

The Franco-American Cinematograph Company, having an authorized capital of $100,000,000, was incorporated under the laws of Delaware on July 22 last, according to an announcement made in this city the following day by Andre Himmel, one of its incorporators, who explained that the company was formed to facilitate the exchange of films between Europe and the United States.

At the time of his announcement M. Himmel asserted that the French Government had given its encouragement to the project, and that French bankers had subscribed for all of the stock of the company.

The announcement of M. Himmel was made after he had spent several months in this country endeavoring to interest American film companies in the combine.

The names of the incorporators furnished by M. Himmel, in addition to his own, included Lucien Jouvard, President of the French Hospital; Howard K. Wood, President of the United States Corporation; Frank D. Pavey, President of the Alliance Française, and Señor Tiburcio Castenada, a Spanish Senator, at that time visiting Cuba.

In announcing the plans of the combine, M. Himmel said:

"It has been the desire of the French Government ever since it founded the Société Cinematographique de France to bring about an alliance with American producers and theatre owners. For this purpose it has approved the formation of the Franco-American Cinematograph Corporation. The new organization has already allied itself with several of the larger picture producers of this country."

Among the prominent Frenchmen said at that time to be interested in the project were M. Viviani, Baron de Rothschild, Albert Dalnier, former Undersecretary of State, Andre Messager, Musical Director of the Opéra Comique; M. Couyba, former Minister of Commerce and Industry; M. Letellier, owner of Le Journal; Jean Richepin, Commander of the Legion of Honor; Pierre Wolf, former President of the Society of Authors and Composers, and Marcel Provost of the French Academy.

On the eve of his departure for France M. Himmel was the guest at a dinner at the Hotel Ritz-Carlton, at which Maurice Casenave, French High Commissioner, presided. In describing the origin of the company on that occasion, M. Himmel said that the corporation already controlled about twenty thousand theatres and exhibition places in Europe, 2,200 of which were in France, 2,495 in Germany, 1,650 in Italy, 1,935 in England, 1,203 in Austria, 725 in Spain and the rest scattered.

Although the Board of Directors of the American Corporation was not announced at the dinner it was said that the following had been named as an Executive Committee with the formation of the board: E. H. Fleischman of the Fleischman Construction Company, MacDougal Hawkes, attorney; H. W. Miller of Koech & Co., bankers, and José Castellot, former Mexican Ambassador to Sweden and member of the Mexican Senate.

Among those who attended the dinner were Marcus Loew, Louis Selznick, Arthur S. Kane and Colonel George W. Burleigh.

Himmel said at the dinner that among the film producing companies controlled were the Pathé Freres and Eclipse of France, Commercial Films, Ltd., of England, Société Monopole of Italy, and Cie. Belge Cinematographique of Belgium.

Neither the American Pathé moving picture company nor the Pathé Cinema Société Anonyme, the French company, allied itself with Himmel's combine, according to a statement made on Aug. 6 last, by Lewis Innerarity, Secretary of the Pathé Exchange, Inc. He said the report at the dinner was without foundation.

Pavey's View of French "Missions."

Frank D. Pavey, who drew up the papers of incorporation for the Franco-American Cinematographic Corporation, when informed that the French Government denied sponsorship for Andre Himmel, organizer of the motion picture combine, asserted that Himmel had never claimed while in this country that the French Government was backing the project. Mr. Pavey was asked if Himmel had furnished any documents to prove that the French Government encouaged the undertaking in any way, or that he had control of the thousands of motion picture and other houses of entertainment which he claimed to have at the time he announced the formation of the American corporation. Mr. Pavey could not recall that he had seen any such documents.

He did say, however, that Himmel came to him as a man who was on a "mission" for the French Government, and this was true, Mr. Pavey said, of nine out of every ten Frenchmen who came to this country. He said that when a Frenchman set sail for America it usually was after he had communicated with some Government department covering the particular industry in which he was interested, and had offered to make a report on conditions to be found in America.

"It may be that one of these Frenchmen will want to report on the number of peas to be found in a pod in Southern New Jersey," said Mr. Pavey, "or the number of fleas that can comfortably be carried by a yellow dog in Summer time. As a usual thing the French Government accepts these offers, and the travelers set forth as "commissioners" of their Government. Now it may be that M. Himmel said to the Department of Public Instruction or some other department that he was coming to America, and was permitted to make a report on behalf of that department. I don't recall the exact nature of the document he showed me, but I recall that he was on one of these 'missions.'"

Only $10,000 Paid In.

It was further disclosed by Mr. Pavey that only $10,000, the minimum paid in capital, was put up at the time that the corporation, with an authorized capital stock of $100,000,000, was formed under the laws of Delaware.

Asked if he had had any reports from Himmel since the latter sailed from this country the latter part of last July, Mr. Pavey said he had not, with the exception of two French papers of which Himmel had sent him marked copies. One contained a paragraph referring to the formation of the combination, and the other contained a somewhat longer article which Mr. Pavey said he had not yet had time to read. Mr. Pavey said he had no reason to doubt that the claims made by Himmel were otherwise than genuine.

Mr. Pavey explained the connection of Howard K. Wood, President of the United States Corporation, with the film combine, by saying that the $10,000 minimum paid in capital of the Franco-American Cinematograph Corporation was deposited with his company.

Movie Men Here Not Stirred.

Lewis J. Selznick, head of the Selznick Pictures Corporation, declared last night that none of the motion picture men who attended the dinner in Himmel's honor last Summer was impressed with his glowing picture of a world-wide corporation to control the motion picture business.

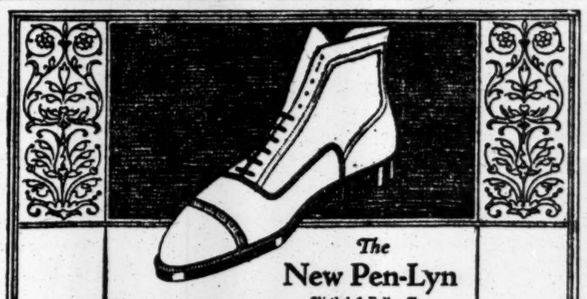
"We realized his story was impossible, and for that reason forgot about the whole affair as soon as it was over," said Mr. Selznick. "In fact, the dinner was much more impressive than anything that was said that night, because it was evident to us Himmel was a dreamer.

"The thing that amazed me was that Andre Tardieu, the French High Commissioner, should interest himself in the fellow. It was out of courtesy to Mr. Tardieu that we attended the dinner. Mr. Tardieu gave Himmel a letter of introduction to me, and Himmel called on me at my office. He painted a wonderful picture of what he proposed to do with the motion-picture business throughout the world, but I paid little attention to him.

"Of course it is never safe to consider anything impossible, and for that reason I withheld my opinion of the whole thing from him. I realized, however, that from the number of houses he proposed to build in France he was talking beyond the province of common sense. Why, it isn't likely they will have that number of houses in France in the next thousand years.

"At the dinner last Summer there was one man, however, who seemed to be deeply interested in Himmel. That was Mr. Fleischmann of the Fleischman Construction Company. Himmel addressed us in French, and therefore most of those present missed the beauty of his address. Mr. Fleischman, however, had an interpreter along, and he seemed to wax more enthusiastic every minute as Himmel's rapid flow of words were interpreted for him. Himmel told me of his vast construction program when he called on me at my office, and it is easy to understand that from the sum he promised to produce for the construction of these houses a builder might be intensely interested.

"Himmel is an undersized fellow, without any special attraction as to appearance, but my, how he can talk! But you can say for me that he didn't cause the motion picture people who attended the dinner to lose their perspective of the business for a second."



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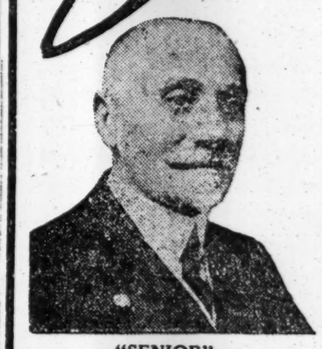

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Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9. — President Wilson made an appeal today to the generosity of the American people in behalf of the millions of people starving in the northern provinces of China. In a prepared statement issued from the White House the President asked the people to respond to the "appealing cry for help" from the famine stricken districts and announced that he was setting machinery in motion to carry this great national relief movement forward as quickly as possible.

The President has named a nation-wide committee to bring about the most effective collection of funds and has designated Thomas W. Lamont, of New York, to act as chairman of the committee. Norman H. Davis, Acting Secretary of State, will be treasurer of the committee, which will also include in its membership Secretary Houston, Governor Harding of the Federal Reserve Board, former President Taft, Cardinal Gibbons, Charles W. Eliot, Cleveland H. Dodge, Bishops Burch and Quale, James A. Stillman, and many other prominent men who are leaders in business and finance.

It is estimated that 30,000,000 persons are seriously affected by the famine, and reports indicate that half of these are suffering dire distress. The provinces affected are Chili, Shantung, Honan, Shansi and Shensi. President Wilson's appeal states that reports from American consular and diplomatic agencies inform him that the deaths "may run into millions of souls."

Text of President's Statement.

The text of President Wilson's statement reads:

"A famine, alarming in its proportions, today holds in its grip several important provinces in China. The crop failure is complete, and the present distress which is great, is likely, before Winter has run its course, to become appalling. In fact our diplomatic and consular agencies in China inform me that the loss resulting from death in distressing form may run into millions of souls. It is certain that the local Government and established agencies of relief are unable to cope with the magnitude of the disaster which faces them.

"Under the circumstances, relief to be effective should be granted quickly. Once more an opportunity is offered to the American people to show that prompt and generous response with which they invariably answer the call of their brother nations in distress.

"The case of China I regard as especially worthy of the earnest attention of our citizens. To an unusual degree the Chinese people look to us for counsel and for effective friendship. Our churches, through their religious and medical missionaries, their schools and colleges, and our philanthropic foundations have rendered China an incalculable benefit, which her people recognize with gratitude and devotion to the United States. I therefore not only in the name of humanity but in that of the friendliness which we feel for a great people in distress, I venture to ask that our citizens shall, even though the task of giving is not today a light one, respond as they can to this distant but appealing cry for help.

"In order to be assured of the orderly collection of such donations, large or small, as may be offered, I have invited a nation-wide committee, whose names are attached hereto, to lend their aid to this matter. I have designated Thomas W. Lamont of New York City to act as Chairman of this committee, and Norman Davis, Under Secretary of State, to act as Treasurer.

"I realize that this call, added to those for the underfed children of Eastern Europe and the afflicted peoples of the Near East, and to the needs of our own country, makes heavy the demand upon the bounty of the nation. I am confident, however, that all these pleas will be answered in generous spirit."

Nation-Wide Committee.

The members of the nation-wide committee, invited by the President to lend their aid were announced by the President as follows:

Secretary Houston.
William P. G. Harding.
William Howard Taft.
Cardinal Gibbons.
Charles W. Eliot, Cambridge, Mass.
Cleveland H. Dodge, New York.
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W. W. Baird, Chicago, President Chamber of Commerce.
John J. Mitchell, Chicago, banker.
John Jay Abbott, Chicago, banker.
Julius Rosenwald, Chicago.
Paul S. Reinsch, Wisconsin.
Festus J. Wade, St. Louis, banker.
W. P. Clarkson, St. Louis, President Chamber of Commerce.
Charles Nagel, St. Louis.
Rev. Dr. James L. Barton, New York, American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions.
Raymond Fosdick, New York.
John R. Mott, New York.
Graham Patterson, New York, editor Christian Herald.
Dr. Frank W. Gunsaulus, Chicago, President Armour Institute.

Today The New York Times is compelled to leave out 10 columns of advertisements.

Woman, 82, Becomes Citizen; Says It's Her Duty to Vote

The oldest woman to be admitted to citizenship in this county is Miss Mathilde Malkin, of the Presbyterian Home, at 49 East Seventy-third Street. She is 82 years old and was sworn in before Supreme Court Justice Lydon yesterday. She came here from England in 1854, but said she didn't think it worth while to take out citizenship papers until she got a chance to vote.

"Now it is my Christian duty to register and cast my ballot, and I must be naturalized to do that," Miss Malkin said. She was escorted to the courthouse by Miss Jennie Davis, superintendent of the home, and Edward J. Tschimbke, Republican district captain, who said that twenty-nine women inmates of the home had enrolled as Republicans.

Dr. John Timothy Stone, Chicago, pastor Fourth Presbyterian Church.
Rev. Dr. Peter Ainslie, Baltimore, Seminary House.
Rev. Dr. James H. Franklin, New York.
Rev. Dr. Frederick H. Knubel, New York.
Robert Tinsman, New York, Federal Advertising Company.
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Dr. William Mayo, Rochester, Minn.
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Mayor James Couzens, Detroit.
Charles H. Campbell, Detroit, President Board of Commerce.
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Myron T. Herrick, Cleveland.
Walter C. Carlson, Milwaukee, President Association of Commerce.
Edwin C. Gibbs, Cincinnati, President Chamber of Commerce.
Arthur B. Parker, New Orleans, President Association of Commerce.
Robert N. Harper, Washington, D. C., President Chamber of Commerce.
B. F. Benson, Minneapolis, President Chamber of Commerce.
W. S. McLucas, Kansas City, President Chamber of Commerce.
Charles S. Coffin, Indianapolis, President Chamber of Commerce.
Joseph B. Boyce, Louisville, President Board of Trade.
Frank O. Packard, Columbus, President Chamber of Commerce.
Gilbert M. Hitchcock, Omaha, United States Senator.
Thomas Burke, Seattle.
A. L. Mills, Portland, Ore., banker.
Edgar B. Piper, Portland, editor Oregonian.
Robert Dollar, San Francisco, ship owner.
John H. Rosseter, San Francisco, Pacific Mail S. S. Company.
Frank B. Anderson, San Francisco, banker.
Herbert Fleishacker, San Francisco, banker.
David P. Barrows, Berkeley, University of California.
Maynard McFie, Los Angeles, President Chamber of Commerce.
Edwin O. Chase, Providence, President Chamber of Commerce.
William C. Hodges, Denver, President Chamber of Commerce.
Walter Stuart, Toledo, President Chamber of Commerce.
Frank A. Vanderlip, New York, President Japan Society.
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Rev. Dr. Robert E. Speer, New York.
Bishop Thomas S. Gailor, New York.
Edwin M. Bulkley, New York.
Rev. Dr. Frank Mason North, New York.
Rev. Dr. Lauritz Larsen, New York.
Rev. Nehemiah Boynton, New York.
Bishop James Cannon, Birmingham, Ala.
Rev. Dr. F. W. Burnham, St. Louis.
Rev. Dr. Edgar Y. Mullins, Louisville, Ky.
Rev. Dr. James I. Vance, Nashville.
Bishop S. C. Breyfogel, Reading.
Dean Shaller Mathews, Chicago.
Rev. Dr. Wilbur F. Thompson, Columbus.
Dr. George W. Truitt, Dallas.
Ross Hadley, Richmond, Ind.
Rev. Walter R. Lambuth, Oakdale, Cal.
Mrs. Willard D. Straight, New York.
Mrs. Medill McCormick, Chicago.
Mrs. Cary Grayson, Washington, D. C.
Mrs. August Belmont, New York.
Mrs. Frank V. Hammar, St. Louis.
Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt.
Miss Mabel Choate.
Mrs. William J. Calhoun, Chicago.
Mrs. Margaret Anglin Hull, New York.
Mrs. Joseph Cudahy, Chicago.
Mrs. Henry P. Fletcher, Washington.
Mrs. Helen B. Montgomery, Rochester, N. Y.
Mrs. Otto H. Kahn, New York.
Mrs. William H. Crocker, San Francisco.
Mrs. George Wharton Pepper, Philadelphia.
Miss Ethel Moore, Oakland, Cal.
Dean Virginia Gildersleeve, Barnard College, New York.
President M. C. Thomas, Bryn Mawr, Pa.
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Mrs. F. S. Bennett, Englewood, N. J.
Mrs. William Boyd, Curtis Publishing Co., Philadelphia.
Miss Mabel Cratty, New York.

MOROS GIVE BATTLE TO RESIST SCHOOLING

Thirty Are Killed by Philippine Constabulary in Engagement on Pata Island.

MANILA, Dec. 9.—Thirty Moros were killed on one of the Sulu Islands in a battle with Philippine Constabulary growing out of efforts to encourage the education of children, it was learned here today in official advices from the Governor of Jolo, the Philippine Province embracing the Islands.

An educational agent named Alajani, a Moro, was killed by Moros on Pata Island when attempting to induce the Moros to send their children to school. They resented his interference with their customs, according to the official dispatch.

The constabulary force was called out and was met by a force of Moros armed with bolos, daggers and other primitive implements of warfare. The battle resulted in thirty Moros being killed and a number wounded. A number of the constabulary were wounded, but none was killed.

FRENCH COURT REFUSES TO PENALIZE DOCTOR

Finds He Should Have Supervised Nurse More Closely, but Damages Are Denied.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Dec. 9.—After a fortnight's careful consideration the French Judges at Nimes have decided that a noncommital verdict is best in the case in which the parents of two girls brought suit against a doctor for damages for the death of the girls while under his medical care. The case against the doctor was that he employed an unskilled nurse, who, by not paying proper attention to the cleanness of surgical instruments, aggravated the illness of the girls, and that the doctor did not follow the prescribed treatment. The father of the girls, Commandant Arnaud, sued for 200,000 francs, which he was to have given to some war institution, and at the same time the charge of criminal homicide was brought against the doctor by the public authorities.

The Court, after long delibefation, has brought in a verdict acquitting the doctor, refusing damages to Commandant Arnaud and at the same time refusing the counterclaim for 1 franc damages brought by the doctor. Commandant Arnaud will have to pay the costs.

In the verdict the Judges state that they found that the nurse employed did not take proper precautions, and that the doctor ought to have supervised her work more closely. The death of the patients they found did not, however, result from neglect, and it was on that that they based their judgment.

PAPAL SECRETARY URGES FIUME PEACE

Cardinal Gasparri Calls on the Mayor of City to Avoid "New Conflicts and New Tears."

D'ANNUNZIO STILL DEFIANT

Third War Vessel Deserts and Joins Him — Pessimism Displaces Hopefulness in Rome.

FIUME, Dec. 9 (Associated Press).—Cardinal Gasparri, the Papal Secretary of State, has written a letter to the Mayor of Fiume advising a settlement of the controversy between the forces of Gabriele d'Annunzio and the Government without bloodshed.

"Remembrance of your courteous visits and of your letters, full of reverence for the Holy See, has permitted me to take encouragement and to send to you words of concord and peace that come to me at this great moment through which your State is passing," says Cardinal Gasparri.

"Public opinion is painfully alarmed by the suggestion of resistance manifested at Fiume, which may lead to new conflicts and new tears, which always bring major sufferings to the working population and delay that peace for which so many hearts have yearned.

"Particularly painful it would be to see fraternal blood spilled without result.

"Impelled by the qualities of sound sense and generosity with which you have demonstrated yourself particularly endowed, I dare beg you call the attention of your municipality and State to these considerations so as to make them favorable to superior reason, of peace, fraternity and well meant patriotism, so that new, dreaded sufferings may be spared. I pray that God may accompany this step of mine with His grace so as to inspire the counsel of moderation and peace."

Riccardo Gigante, the Mayor, replied to the Cardinal, saying that the Italian Government had been most firm in settling the question without regard to the people of Fiume, and that blood spilled for a just cause always would bear fruit. He added that he would "follow d'Annunzio with all those who may remain faithful, by whatever means or by whatever undertaking."

D'Annunzio today issued a communication saying that no one had been authorized to treat with the Government except his own representative in Rome, and that there would be no official relations until the Government recognized his State. The communication added that all rumors of an arrangement of terms with the Rome Government were without foundation.

Third War Vessel Deserts.

TRIEST, Dec. 9.—Following the recent example of two other Italian war vessels, the destroyer Espero joined d'Annunzio's forces this afternoon.

The other warcraft which separated themselves from the blockading squadron were the destroyer Bronzetti and submarine chaser No. 68.

ROME, Dec. 9 (Associated Press).—Premier Giolitti, Foreign Minister Sforza, War Minister Bononmi and Admiral Secchi, Minister of the Navy, conferred today on the Fiume situation.

According to the Rome papers, they decided it was impossible to recognize the regency of Quarnero if d'Annunzio insited upon giving such recognition an annexationist meaning.

Pessimism Over Fiume Outlook.

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ROME, Dec. 9.—The Fiume affair, which the press had proclaimed was near to being satisfactorily solved, does not actually seem to be as near solution as had been hoped. Since the return of the Parliamentary Commission the atmosphere of optimism has been dissipated and the feeling is gaining ground that there are still several grave obstacles to be overcome, among others the attitude of the navy. The passing over of torpedo boats to d'Annunzio's side has caused a painful impression here and has demonstrated that the poet's influence is still very strong. The strict silence kept by the deputies who went to Fiume, allowing nothing to leak out of their conversation with d'Annunzio, is taken as a sign that they have come to an understanding. Otherwise the good news would without doubt have got about. Sudden pessimism has invaded the Chamber and Senate, so that the only topic of conversation today was the Fiume situation.

Although the question of recognition of the Regency of the Quarnero seemed to have been overcome, d'Annunzio now asks that it should merely be the first step toward its annexation. Rome conceived the regency as a Government, absolutely autonomous and independent of Italy, while the poet considers himself as a temporary regent or Governor awaiting the act which definitely joins Fiume to Italy. The Government is trying to find a formula which, although respecting obligations of the treaty of Rapallo in international rights, would lead to the recognition of the regency after another decision of the people of Fiume. To reach this object a compromise is absolutely necessary, but so far the violent language heard from Fiume shows no sign of giving way.

The fact that General Caviglia thought it necessary to remove an infantry regiment near Fiume, replacing it with Carbineers, demonstrates that the military situation also is very delicate.

Whitney Warren, representative in the United States of Gabriele d'Annunzio, gave out yesterday a cable message from the Minister of Foreign Affairs at Fiume denying that d'Annunzio had made overtures to the Italian Government. The cablegram says:

"The stories published yesterday in the Italian newspapers of supposed proposals by the Commander, d'Annunzio, to the Government of the King of Italy through the services of an intermediary more or less official cannot be denied too strongly. No proposal of any sort whatsoever has been made by the Commander, who remains firm for the well-known political line of the Government of the regency."

MOROCCO TRIBES SUBMIT.

Spanish Troops Take Positions Near Refuge of Hostile Natives.

MELILLA, Spanish Morocco, Dec. 8.—A representative delegation from the Deni-Ulicheand Deni-Said tribes today formally tendered the submission of those tribes to the Spanish authorities here.

Six detachments of Spanish infantry, artillery and cavalry yesterday continued their operations on Deni-Said territory, occupying positions in Kadir, Asusua, Jugunt and Arcab, dominating the village of Tchinen, which for a long time has been a place of refuge for enemy tribesmen.

SWISS BUILDERS FAIL.

Largest Concern Has Liabilities of $5,000,000.

GENEVA, Dec. 9.—Piccard, Pictet & Co., the largest building concern in Switzerland, failed today, with liabilities of $5,000,000. The company employed 7,500 workmen.

It built the hotel used by the League of Nations and also constructed turbines used at Niagara Falls. During the war the company manufactured shells and ammunition for the Allies, refusing to work for the Germans. It employed English and French soldiers interned in Switzerland.

Britain Holds Back on Capital Ships; Lessons of the War Are First to Be Studied

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LONDON, Dec. 9.—The so-called economy debate took place in the Commons today on the motion of George Lambert asking the House not to sanction an expenditure for 1921-22 in excess of £808,000,000. The total national expenditure for 1921-22 is estimated at £1,418,-000,000, of which £234,000,000 is earmarked for redemption of debt.

Lambert's motion was defeated by 321 to 66 after a lengthy debate in which Austin Chamberlain and Lloyd George spoke on the Government's behalf.

Lambert, speaking in support of his motion, said that, despite defeat of her enemies, Great Britain's expenditure on armaments budgeted for this year amounted to £230,000,000. In the dockyards 20,000 more men were being employed today than before the war. He distrusted the vision and the courage of the present Board of the Admiralty. Was the naval policy of the Government that of building ships against America? To his mind that would be unthinkable. Why should Great Britain build ships for fear America should attack her? Great Britain owed America £1,000,000,-000 and she was not likely to become an actual enemy.

Austin Chamberlain in his reply gave the House a long list of figures in support of his claim that the Government had considerably reduced expenditures of various departments. He declared the Government was as anxious as the House in regard to economy and careful husbanding of resources. He also gave figures showing how absurd, in view of the country's financial commitments, was Lambert's proposed budget of £808,000,000. Among other things he said all subsidies would stop by the end of the financial year and the Ministries of Munitions and Shipping were being wound up.

His outline of the Cabinet policy, pointing to severe disciplinary measures toward all departments incurring expenditure without notice, was cordially received, as was also his reference to the War Office as the only direction where considerable savings could be effected.

As regards the question of naval expenditure, Mr. Chamberlain said that, while determined to maintain the navy at a standard of strength which should adequately secure the safety of the empire and its maritime communications, before sanctioning a program of new construction the Government was bound to satisfy itself that the lessons of the war had been definitely ascertained, more particularly as regarded the place and usefulness of the capital ship in future naval operations. The Cabinet had therefore decided, and he was glad to say the Admiralty welcomed the decision, that the Committee of Imperial Defense should enter upon an exhaustive investigation into the whole question of naval strength as affected by the latest developments in naval warfare, and would present no program of capital ship construction to Parliament until the result of the inquiry had been considered.

Lloyd George, who spoke late, hammered home the arguments of the Chancellor of the Exchequer, agreeing with the latter that the only way to effect substantial economies was in regard to war expenditures. He agreed the expenditure in Mesopotamia had been heavy, but he declared it would have been an act of folly to have cleared out and left the country to anarchy. He thought Great Britain might be fully requited for all the expenditure incurred in Mesopotamia, which was a great land of infinite possibilities.

PLAN ORGANIZATION FOR FOREIGN CREDITS

Bankers and Producers Gather in Chicago to Confer on $100,000,000 Corporation.

COULD LEND BILLION ABROAD

Means Help to Every Farmer and Factory Worker, Declares Sponsor for the Project.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Bankers, business men and producers from all parts of the country are arriving tonight for a two-day conference, beginning tomorrow, on the proposed organization of a hundred-million-dollar corporation to finance American export trade. The corporation would be organized under the Edge act.

The proposed organization is designed to meet credit needs of foreign buyers who cannot pay because they lack specific security. The corporation would be under the protecting wing of the Federal Reserve banks, and be semi-public in character.

Special assistance to any one country has not been considered, as the object of the plan is to encourage American foreign trade as a whole. It would operate wherever such trade extended.

John S. Drum of San Francisco, President of the American Bankers' Association, is Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements for the meeting. He said today:

"The Commerce and Marine Committee of the Bankers' Association has fostered this plan ever since 1918. Agricultural, commercial and industrial interests will attend the meeting.

"Under the provisions of the Edge bill we shall be able to extend a credit equal to ten times our capitalization. It is generally agreed that $100,000,000 is none too small an amount upon which to begin. This means a credit-wielding power of a billion dollars in addition to the security of our capitalization.

"The machinery which we hope to create and operate will have its benefits for every man on the street. It is of specific interest to the laboring man and the farmer. There will be a market for every farmer and every bit of produce he can turn out. Likewise, industrially, no laboring man will be seeking a job because the employed cannot find a market.

"The world is crying for goods, but the credit facilities are lacking. We propose to furnish these facilities."

The meeting tomorrow will be in the nature of a joint committee, made up of appointed members from the American Bankers' Association, the National Foreign Trade Council and the United States Chamber of Commerce. Delegates from thirty-one States will attend. Among those expected are Herbert Hoover, Julius Barnes, former head of the Grain Corporation; Paul Warburg of the Federal Reserve Board, Senator Edge and General Goethals.

AWARDS PEACE PRIZE OF 1919 TO BOURGEOIS

Nobel Committee Gives Awards to Him and Wilson Today—Message From the President.

CHRISTIANIA, Norway, Dec. 9.—The Nobel Peace Prizes for 1919 and 1920, respectively, will be presented tomorrow to Leon Bourgeois, President of the French Association for the Society of Nations, and Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States.

Each prize amounts to 134,000 Swedish kroner, and will be handed to the French and American Ministers, who will formally thank the committee. Albert G. Schmedeman, American Minister to Norway, will read a message from President Wilson on the occasion of the presentation of the 1920 prize.

Formal announcement of the awarding of the prizes was made today by M. Loveland, Chairman of the Nobel Committee.

The fact that President Wilson would receive the 1920 prize became known earlier in the week. At that time it was not known who was to be awarded the 1919 prize. The Swedish kroner, according to late exchange rate, is worth about 19.25 cents.

CONSTANTINE'S CALL IS STILL AWAITED

Official Word From Athens Fails to Arrive, and Return Will Be Delayed.

FAMILY SHOWS THE STRAIN

While Former Monarch Manages to Appear Unconcerned — Greek Parliament to Meet Jan. 5.

LUCERNE, Switzerland, Dec. 9 (Associated Press).—The expected official telegram from Premier Rhallis of Greece to former King Constantine informing Constantine that he had been chosen in the plebiscite of last Sunday to return to the Greek throne had not been received here this evening, but Professor Georgios Streit, spokesman for Constantine, said there was no anxiety over this situation. He added that Constantine's departure for Athens probably would be deferred proportionately to the delay in receiving the official announcement of the result of the plebiscite.

Constantine today decided not to order a special train for his journey until he had learned the official returns from Premier Rhallis. The Swiss Government requires five days' notice, so it is considered now that the departure of Constantine will not take place until Tuesday or Wednesday of next week. It is felt that the superstition of Greeks against making any move on Tuesday will be waived if word comes tonight calling for Constantine's return.

Former Queen Sophie, wife of Constantine and a sister of former Emperor William of Germany, and the other members of the Greek royal household are beginning to feel the strain on account of their strong desire to have a home once more, after having lived for three years in hotels during their exile. Constantine, while evidently impatient to get started homeward, manages to carry a look of unconcern. He is remaining in his apartments throughout these inclement days, reading or writing or playing solitaire, but at the same time informing himself as to public affairs so that he will be able again to take up the duties he relinquished when the Allies requested him to leave Athens.

Every day sees more Greeks from Athens and other parts of Europe gathering at Lucerne. The Greek colony here has increased threefold since the recent election in Greece.

ATHENS, Greece, Dec. 8 (Associated Press).—No official note has yet been sent to former King Constantine in Lucerne notifying him that the people of Greece in the plebiscite of Sunday last voted for his return.

Thirty of the thirty-six departments of Greece gave 886,628 votes in favor of Constantine, with 9,444 against his recall. There were 200,000 more votes cast than in the elections of Nov. 14 last.

Prince Nicholas, brother of Constantine, arrived in Athens tonight and immediately summoned the Cabinet Ministers and the other princes and princesses to his palace, where he gave them a communication from Constantine. The message was not made public.

The opening of Parliament has definitely been set for Jan. 5 next. The American dollar was quoted at an average of 15 drachmas today.

Galib Kemali Bey, who was Turkish Minister to Greece in 1916 and was sent out of the country, together with the German and Austrian diplomatic corps upon the flight of King Constantine, has been redesignated as Minister in Athens by the Sublime Porte.

Unredeemed Greeks Hostile.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 8 (Associated Press). — All of "unredeemed hellenism" is united in strong opposition to the restoration of King Constantine to the throne of Greece, according to a petition handed to the Greek patriarch. The petition contains the names of 500 organized bodies, which demand that the patriarch pronounce an anathema against Constantine should he persist in his intention to return to Greece.

Mrs. Sheridan's Busts of Soviet Leaders

Busts of Lenin, Trotzky, Zinoviev, Krassin and Dzhejinsky, modelled in Russia by Mrs. Clare Sheridan, whose diary of her interviews with these Soviet leaders appeared recently in The New York Times, will be reproduced in the Rotogravure Section from photographs.

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KAHN DEPLORES AGITATION IN JAPAN

Tells House if War Were Started It Would Be by Japanese, Not Americans.

GIVES CALIFORNIAN VIEW

Says Democratic Nations Would Do Well to Study Question of Yellow Peril.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Discussing frankly in a carefully prepared address delivered today in the House, Representative Kahn of California, Chairman of the Military Committee, declared that America hoped always to avoid war, and that if "the statesmen, the publicists, the politicians, the agitators and the demagogues of Japan" really wanted war with the United States they would be the ones to bring it on and not the Americans.

Mr. Kahn said he knew that he voiced "the earnest hope and the wish of every patriotic American that peace between the two countries may continue perpetually."

"But the world," said he, "has only recently learned that we are not too proud to fight; nor are we afraid to fight when we are forced into war."

The Military Committee chairman took occasion to reaffirm his belief that a universal military training policy would best safeguard the country and added:

"I have no fear that there will be war between Japan and the United States in my lifetime, nor even the lifetime of my sons. And I am thoroughly satisfied that if my country remain measurably prepared there will be no difficulty between the two nations at any time."

Mr. Kahn briefly reviewed the history of the relations between the United States and Japan and with regard to the Japanese immigration problem in California, now the subject of treaty negotiations between the two governments, said students of international law everywhere had recognized the "absolute right" of any nation to regulate immigration as it deemed best. Even Japanese students were familiar with universally accepted decisions on this point, he said, and added:

"It is therefore most unfortunate that a constant agitation regarding these matters is maintained by our neighbor across the Pacific; because the final effect of such propaganda and agitation undoubtedly is to install a pronounced hatred of America and Americans among the masses in Japan.

"This is a decidedly unfortunate condition of affairs. Indeed, I say it is a most serious condition—a condition that may result, unfortunately, in grave difficulties between two heretofore friendly nations."

The speaker said "many public officials in Japan" as well as political agitators had "tried to make the world believe" that opposition to the immigration of Japanese laborers into the United States was "based upon racial prejudice."

"If we of the Pacific Coast deny that this is the case," he declared, "No objection has ever been made to the admission into this country of Japanese professional men, of Japanese financiers, or Japanese religious teachers or leaders or bona fide Japanese merchants or Japanese students or Japanese travelers. Our sole objection is to the laboring class."

Representative Kahn called attention to newspaper dispatches quoting Count Okuma, head of the Japanese Peace Society, as having said that if the United States restricted Japanese immigration by statute instead of by voluntary action of Japan, the latter rather than "suffer such prejudice to her prestige, must resort to force."

"Surely," Mr. Kahn said, "the head of the Peace Society of Japan does not advocate the taking up of arms against the United States as indicated in the newspaper articles."

"Happily," he continued, "we in America are not worked into a frenzy of excitement by purely political happenings."

Publicists and authors reported, the California Representative said, that Japan was "making every effort to unite the yellow races; that Japan under such a program hopes and expects to be the leader of such a race amalgamation; that she is striving in every way to acquire and maintain the hegemony of the yellow nations."

"Are the Japanese trying to bring about the world-old conflict between the white races and the yellow and the brown races?" asked Mr. Kahn. "I sincerely hope not. But it is a question which the statesmen of all liberty-loving, democratic nations and peoples will do well to study and bear constantly in mind."

ANTI-ALIEN LAND LAW IS EFFECTIVE TODAY

Governor of California Advises State Department It Will Be Fully Enforced.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Dec. 9.—Formal notice that California's anti-alien land leasing law, enacted by popular vote at the last election, would become effective tomorrow was telegraphed by Governor Stephens today to Acting Secretary of State Davis.

The Governor's telegram announced that he intended to exercise his "full constitutional power in enforcement of this statute—justly, of course, but effectively."

The Governor's message declared:

"In calling your attention to the facts I have no desire to embarrass the negotiations pending between the department and the Government of Japan. * * *

"Innumerable reports have come to this office within the last few months of unprecedented transactions in agricultural real property by Japanese and sections of the State affected by these transactions are most outspoken in their denunciation of those acquisitions of agricultural real property for the purpose of evading the new anti-alien land laws.

"Litigation is bound to ensue and the Attorney General and the various District Attorneys of the counties, will with the full support of the Government of the State behind them, apply all their resources to the full enforcement of the law.

"Public opinion in this matter is overwhelming and very sensitive about any interference with or restraint upon the sovereign right of the State to deal with its domestic land problems."

JAPANESE SMUGGLED HERE.

Hiding Places in Ships Discovered by Mikado's Consul at Seattle.

YOKOHAMA, Japan, Dec. 9.—The police here have been ordered to strictly inspect outbound vessels for stowaways in consequence of the Japanese Consul at Seattle having discovered regular hiding places constructed by crews in the holds of vessels for such persons.

The shipping representative here will confer shortly to take more effective steps to prevent the smuggling of emigrants.

WILL CLOSE TOLEDO SHOPS.

New York Central to Lay Off 500 Men Indefinitely.

TOLEDO, Dec. 8.—The Campbell shops of the New York Central Railroad will be closed on Dec. 16, it was announced today by George F. Wilson, general shop foreman here.

The closing will be indefinite and more than 500 men will become idle. Only car and engine repair crews will be maintained.

Apartment Is Overheated, This Tenant's Complaint

In the mass of letters that came to the Health Department yesterday was one from a tenant complaining that her apartment was kept overheated. This is the first of its kind to be received. Here is the unusual complaint:

"Will you kindly investigate our apartment? The heat runs to 84 degrees most of the time. We are forced to open all the windows wide. Therefore my baby has a bad cough. Because a few other tenants complained of not getting enough heat, this was done through anger. Most of us were satisfied with last year's supply of heat, which was sufficient. We were never sick."

FORECAST WAGE CUT IN TEXTILE MILLS

New England and New York Manufacturers Fix on 22½ Per Cent. Reduction.

300,000 HANDS AFFECTED

Statement Issued After Boston Conference Calls Step Necessary to Keep Mills Running.

BOSTON, Dec. 9.—A wage reduction of 22½ per cent. in textile mills in New England and New York State was forecast today in a statement issued after a conference of textile manufacturers. Approximately 75 per cent. of the industry in this section representing makers of cotton and woolen products was represented. The industry employs 300,000 operatives.

Such a reduction, according to the statement, would put the wage schedules back approximately to the figures that existed a year ago and would leave the wage standards generally more than double those of 1915.

The present stagnant condition of the textile industry made consideration of a wage reduction necessary, it was stated.

Change in Retail Situation.

"Manufacturers have been reluctant to make any radical changes in wages because of its effect at a time when there has seemed to be so little willingness on the part of the retailer to do business on a lower basis of price. But conditions have recently come about whereby this situation has been materially affected and prices of articles entering into the cost of living have been reduced to a considerable extent. Now that the process of readjustment has operated in the wage earner's favor, and living costs are still further to be lessened as the present low prices of raw materials are reflected in retail costs, the manufacturer can properly take some action to lessen the labor cost involved in production.

"The refusal of buyers to purchase goods for the last four or five months on a high basis of cost has led to a stagnation of the markets upon which the manufacturers depend, so that at the present time many of the textile mills in New England have been obliged to shut down; many more are working on short time and unless something is done to remedy these conditions, unemployment will be increased and continue.

Wage Cut Called Indispensable.

"In order to stabilize conditions so that goods can be purchased and business done, it is indispensably necessary, unfortunate though it may be, that there should be some wage reduction. The textile manufacturers have given careful consideration to every phase of the situation, and have taken into account all possible methods of bringing about conditions whereby their plants may be operated without any change in the wage scale, but they find that this is impossible.

"Accordingly, it has been suggested that a reduction of 22½ per cent. be made in the country of origin at the time of purchase and the normal rate of exchange should be added to the invoice and the duty collected on the total. In this way there would be restored the amount of duties intended to be collected under the present tariff law.

"2. In order to correct the present alarming possibilities for dumping huge quantities of raw and manufactured products from countries with depressed currencies, it is proposed that in the case of all foreign purchases, whether dutiable or not, the Federal Government shall collect in the form of an equalizing charge on all imports, in addition to any duties provided by the tariff law, the difference being the amount paid the foreign seller figured at the current rates of exchange and the same amount figured at the normal rate of exchange. The equalizing charge thus provided for might be limited to say 30 per cent. of the foreign value of the merchandise at par of exchange."

Jacob T. Brown, of S. Slater & Sons Company, of Webster, Mass., said that woolen goods were now being offered in the United States by foreign makers cheaper than American mills could make them. He urged the committee to devise a temporary plan to stop these importations such as the enactment of an anti-dumping law or acceptance of the plan to equalize exchange.

"Speed up this legislation before the American manufacturer is broke," he said. "If our plan does not meet your views, give us something else but give us relief and let us have it quickly."

Charles F. Rockwell, of Miller & Bros., cutlery manufacturers, of Meriden, Conn., said that the cutlery business in the United States was almost at a standstill due to German imports. On Oct. 1, he said the cutlery mills in this country had orders to run them four to six months. The cancellations were so numerous in the last month as to give only work until the first of the year. German knives were being offered at $6 a dozen which the American trade could not duplicate for less than $14 a dozen.

Ask Duty on Meat Animals.

SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 3.—Resolutions favoring an embargo on wool and wool products and the levying of an import duty, sufficient to equalize the cost of production in the United States with that of countries whence imports come, were adopted at the closing session today of the convention of the United Stock Growers' Association, attended by representatives from twelve Western States.

Another resolution called upon Congress to enact a permanent tariff upon meat animals and their products, sufficient to put the American producer on an equality in American markets with producers from other countries.

Fall River Operators Meet.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Dec. 9.—The Fall River Manufacturers' Association, representing nearly all the cotton mills of this city, was in conference here today when the statement forecasting a wage reduction of 22½ per cent. in the textile industry was made public in Boston. W. Frank Shove, President of the association, said no statement would be made at this time. Another member of the Executive Committee who would not be quoted said the only statement would come from Boston.

The Ezra Manufacturing Company, which employs 150 persons in making cotton waste products, announced a wage reduction of 15 per cent. today. Operatives were notified that if the cut was not accepted the plant would have to be closed. It is understood the workers agreed to the reduction, which means a total decrease of 30 per cent. in their wages in the last two months.

Textile Union Defers Comment.

The United Textile Workers of America "will cross that bridge when they get to it," John Golden, President of the organization, said yesterday when informed of the forecast by New England and New York cotton and woolen cloth manufacturers in Boston of a general wage reduction of 22½ per cent.

Mr. Golden said no formal notification of action to reduce wages as forecast had been received, and that until such reduction had been officially announced the United Textile Workers would have nothing to say.

Copper Companies Make Reduction.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 9.—The Tennessee Copper Company and the Dicktown Sulphur, Copper and Iron Company, both having large copper mining operations at Copperhill, announced today wage reductions of 10 per cent.

15 Per Cent. Cut at Andover.

ANDOVER, Mass., Dec. 9.—A wage reduction of 15 per cent. was announced today by the Tyer Rubber Company,

INSURANCE OFFICIALS CONTRADICT ENRIGHT

Deny Burglary Rates Have Decreased—Citizens Union Attacks Reinstatements.

TRIBUNE REPLIES TO HIM

Asks Commissioner If He Will Permit a Reporter to Examine Police Records.

Officials of burglary insurance companies in this city and members of the Citizens Union and other civic organizations yesterday took issue with Police Commissioner Enright regarding assertions made by him Wednesday, in defense of his administration of the Police Department. None of the officials of the insurance companies would consent to be drawn into a controversy with the Police Commissioner, but all said Mr. Enright's statement that burglary insurance had decreased within the last year to a point below that of the five previous years, was contrary to the facts.

Several said the companies experienced greater losses through burglaries in the city than in previous years, and a few hinted that many burglaries were not recorded by the police. Members of the Citizens Union said most of the policemen reinstated by Commissioner Enright in three years had been dismissed for serious infractions of police rules and not for "trial offenses," as alleged by the Police Commissioner. In almost every case, they said, the men had been denied reinstatement by Mr. Enright's predecessors.

Tribune Replies to Enright.

The Tribune made public a letter sent to the Police Commissioner during the day in reply to references to the newspaper in his statement Wednesday night. The letter said:

"Dec. 9, 1920.

"Richard E. Enright, Esq., Commissioner of Police.

"Dear Sir—In view of your attack on The Tribune investigation of the Police Department of the city, The Tribune feels it is entitled, as a matter of public interest and of justice, to ask you the following questions:

"1. You point out in your statement a number of instances in which you say The Tribune misstated the facts relating to unsolved murders in the city. Do you deny the statement that has been emphasized throughout The Tribune's survey, namely, that there have been since the first of the year more than 100 unsolved murders in the city?

"2. Will you allow a Tribune investigator to examine your record of murders committed since the first of the year?

"3. Is it not true that, unless there is visible evidence of a crime, under the present policy of the Police Department, reports of crimes are not listed, but are considered merely investigations? Do you deny that as a result of this policy it is possible to produce figures favorable to your administration as against previous administrations?

"4. Will you allow a Tribune investigator to go over the records of the cases of the men whom you have reinstated that he may learn on what charges the men had been dismissed under previous administrations and refused reinstatement, and on what grounds they were reinstated by you?

What Tribune Has Revealed.

"The Tribune in its series of articles on your administration has revealed the following:

"1. That the organization built up by Arthur Woods has been broken down.

"2. That there has been a complete reorganization of the Detective Bureau.

"3. That the special squads have been weakened or abolished and experts assigned to other duty.

"4. That William J. Lahey as Chief Inspector holds more power than any man who has held a similar position under previous administrations.

"In your statement this morning you failed to discuss these things and The Tribune therefore considers it pertinent to put to you in addition these questions:

"1. Will you explain the transfer of experts like Faurot and Cray to work entirely foreign to crime detection?

"2. Will you explain why only five of the old Tunney Bomb Squad are still engaged in that branch of work?

"3. Will you explain why Cassassa, Nugge, and other pickpocket experts are now assigned to work other than that in which they were trained?

"4. Will you explain why the chief work in the crusade against vice was taken from the control of experts like Inspector McDonald and Captain Costigan and placed in the hands of Inspector Belton?

"Why Was Lahey Chosen?"

"5. Will you explain why Chief Inspector Lahey was picked for the post and what caused you to amend the department rules so that Lahey's power is greater than that of Chief Inspectors under previous administrations?

"6. Will you explain why the Detective Bureau was placed under the direct supervision of Lahey to the exclusion of such experts as Faurot and Cray?

"7. You have repeatedly said that your refusal to give out information to reporters was caused by knowledge that newspaper men were in league with the underworld. Can you identify the newspaper men?

"8. Will you explain why you feel it necessary to inaugurate motorcycle supervision of the patrol system?

"9. Is the statement that it is a revival of the shoo-fly system approximately correct?

"10. Will you give The Tribune a list of the men assigned to special detail? The charge has been made that the number of these special details has contributed to the under-policing of the city."

American Sumatra Reports Profits.

It was announced that the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors of the American Sumatra Tobacco Company had recommended the declaration of the regular quarterly dividend of $2.50 a share on the common stock. For the three months ended Oct. 31 it was stated that net profits were more than $250,000 and that current assets were four times in excess of current liabilities. If the directors follow the dividend recommendation the declaration will be payable Feb. 1 to holders of record on Jan. 14.

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DENSEL REAPPEARS; ASKS FORGIVENESS

Missing Passaic Pastor Suddenly Rejoins His Wife and Eight Children.

CHOIR MEMBER ALSO BACK

Both Had Been Away Since Clergyman Resigned His Pulpit on Nov. 12.

Special to The New York Times.

PASSAIC, N. J., Dec. 9.—The Rev. Cornelius Densel, who disappeared from this city on Nov. 12, after mailing his resignation as pastor of the Netherlands Reformed Church, of which sect he was said to be the leader in this country, suddenly reappeared last night at his home at 131 Park Place, where his wife and eight children welcomed and forgave him.

At about the same hour Miss Trina Hannenberg, a member of the choir of the church, who left Passaic on the same day as did Mr. Densel, returned to the home of her parents at 25 Pine Street. Both families immediately assumed an attitude of reticence and refused to clear up a story which has given great concern to the congregation of which they were members.

The first inkling that members of the church had of their former pastor's return was when he made a dramatic entrance at a special meeting of the Consistory held in the church last night to choose a new pastor and consider the eligibility of the Hannenberg family to continue members of the body. In the midst of the discussion Mr. Densel entered, accompanied by two of his sons, Richard and Cornelius Jr. According to John Rose, head of the church Consistory, Mr. Densel went among the members gathered in the Sunday school room and tearfully pleaded for forgiveness.

The family of Miss Hannenberg refused to admit visitors to their home. Mrs. Hannenberg said the family had nothing to say and closed the door.

While the Densel family has indicated its belief that Mr. Densel will be reinstated as pastor of the church he has served for more than ten years, members of the consistory entertain no such views.

From leaders of the church it was learned that Miss Hannenberg had once been a member of the Densel household.

THEATRE TAX RAISE A FALLACY, SAYS HARRIS

Managers' President Says Doubling Present 10 Per Cent. Would Reduce Attendance One-half.

The recurrence of the proposal to double the theatre tax brought general protest yesterday from theatrical men. When this recommendation was first made, about two years ago, the managers successfully fought it by the organization of a Managers' Protest Committee, and it is probable that concerted action will again be taken if Secretary Houston's recommendation is pressed.

Sam H. Harris, President of the Producing Managers' Association, declared, as did a number of other managers, that the proposed increased tax would result in a decrease of revenue.

"The fundamental fallacy of Secretary Houston's recommendation" declared Mr. Harris in a statement, "is found in his assertion that the present tax laws are unproductive. In a misdirected effort to remedy this condition he proposes, in so far as theatres are concerned, to double the existing tax on admissions.

"This proposal implies that the public, already paying 10 per cent. on tickets, will welcome the opportunity to double this expenditure and thus add some $70,000,000 to the present revenue from this source. As a matter of fact, the present tax has acted as a deterring influence on theatregoing and it is my conviction that doubling the current impost will reduce the theatregoing public one-half.

Mr. Harris's view was concurred in by Lee Shubert, Morris Gest and others.

STATEN ISLAND FIRE CALLS CITY ENGINES

$500,000 Blaze in Williams Lumber Yard Fought by All Apparatus South of Canal Street.

Chief Kenlon and every fire apparatus south of Canal Street, Manhattan, were summoned last evening to a fire which destroyed between $400,000 and $500,000 worth of valuable hardwood in the yard of the I. T. Williams Lumber Company, between Tompkinsville and Stapleton, Staten Island.

The fire started about 8 o'clock in a pile of lumber in the south end of the yard, which is about an acre and a half in area, and before fire engines from Tompkinsville and Stapleton responded on the first alarm turned in by a watchman employed by Terry & Tench, who are building sixteen municipal piers in the rear of the lumber yard, the entire stock of lumber was ablaze.

The flames were fanned by a stiff southeast wind, and as soon as Deputy Chief Beggin, in charge of the Staten Island fire force, arriver he sent in a second alarm. Ten minutes later, when burning embers segan to set fire to houses in Grant Street to the north and in Wave Street to the south, Chief Beggin sent in a third alarm.

Then the wind shifted, sending clouds of embers in the direction of Bay Street, on the west side of the yard, and Van Duzen Street and St. Paul's Avenue, further west. Reports soon reached Deputy Chief Beggin hat residences and business establishments in that section were being set on fire by the embers, and he immediately sent out a borough alarm, calling not only the Manhattan engines, but the fireboats New Yorker and Zophar Mills as well.

When the Manhattan apparatus hurried up to the ferry terminal at the Battery they found the special ferryboat Richmond waiting for them, ad the trip across the bay was made in less than sixteen minutes. Other ferryboats were held for the rest of the Manhattan apparatus, and in less than forty-five minutes the fire-fighting force of Staten Island was trebled.

The firemen worked so rapidly that none of the smaller fires got below the roofs, and within three hours they had the larger blaze well in hand. The lumber yard extends from Bay Street east to the tracks of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Company, and all train service between St. George Ferry terminal and South Beach and Totenville was stopped.

WOMAN EDITOR IN BELLEVUE

Taken From Museum of Natural History on Complaint of Attendant.

Mary C. Dickerson, 53 years old, of West 118th Street, editor of the bimonthly magazine Natural History, issued by the Museum of Natural History, Central Park West and Seventy-seventh Street, was sent to Bellevue Hospital for observation last night on complaint of an attendant of the museum. The attendant reported to the police of the West Sixty-eighth Street Station that the woman's actions in the museum were peculiar. Dr. Foster Kennedy of 20 West Fiftieth Street advised that the woman be sent to Bellevue.

Ben-Ami to Move to 39th St. Theatre

Jacob Ben-Ami, in "Sampson and Delilah," will move from the Greenwich Village Theatre to the Thirty-ninth Street next Monday night. "The Young Visiters," accordingly, will be withdrawn from the Thirty-ninth Street tomorrow night. The Greenwich Village Theatre will remain dark until Christmas night, when "The Beggar's Opera" will be presented there.

THE OPERA

By Richard Aldrich

Miss Florence Easton as Carmen.

Mme. Geraldine Farrar was obliged to give up her part in the opera of "Carmen," which was on the bill of the Metropolitan Opera House last evening, on account of an attack of hoarseness. It is an ill wind that blows nobody any good, however, and this one brought an opportunity to Miss Florence Easton to sing the part of Carmen. It was the first time she has sung it here, and her performance in it afforded great pleasure to those who heard it last night.

To those who have followed Miss Easton's work on the stage of the Metropolitan as well as on the concert stage, her success was hardly in the nature of a surprise. She has often and in various ways shown her high accomplishments as a singer and as an actress in the lyric drama. She has not only a beautiful voice and a finished vocal style, but dramatic intelligence and skill of a varied order. She sang the part last night without rehearsal and is said to have sung it but once before in French, oftener in German. But she showed entire familiarity with it, moved within it with freedom, both in song and action, without anxiety as to the outcome or undue dependence upon conductor or prompter. The excellence of her French diction was particularly noticeable. The impersonation was in no way tentative. That it gave pleasure was evident from the applause from all quarters of the house.

The other members of the cast have been heard in the more recent performances of "Carmen" at the Metropolitan. The only important change from the previous performance this season was in the part of Escamillo, taken by Mr. Rothier instead of Mr. Whitehill.

The New York Symphony Orchestra.

In its wide survey of musical art through its historical series of concerts the New York Symphony Society yesterday reached the romantic composers of the nineteenth century, to whom the program of its concert given yesterday afternoon in Carnegie Hall was devoted. The composers represented on it were Schubert, by his overture to "Rosamunde," his Unfinished Symphony and his songs, "Death and the Maiden" and "The Erlking"; Weber, by his overture to "Oberon" and the great air from the same opera, "Ocean, Thou Mighty Monster," and Mendelssohn by his Italian" symphony.

The singer was Mme. Margarete Matzenauer. Her greatest success was made in the air from "Oberon." There are few singers who can master it as she did, by sheer weight and power of voice, by force and intensity of expression, by declamation and phrasing. It was a performance of no little impressiveness of an air that often gets the best of those rash enough to attempt it. Mme. Matzenauer did have some trouble with its highest notes, which are above the proper range of her voice; but she did what she could to get by them quickly and unscathed.

She also sang admirably the two songs by Schubert, to accompaniments transcribed from the piano for the orchestra; that of "Death and the Maiden" being for strings alone. No mention of the fact that these were transcriptions nor of the name of the transcriber was made on the program, though strict historical accuracy in a historical series would seem to have required it.

The English translation of "Death and the Maiden" used by Mme. Matzenauer is a singularly bold one; and unfortunately her English diction was so clear as to show mercilessly all its faults. Thus, "bony man" for "Knochenmann" and "I am not wild" for "ich bin nicht wild" are hardly fortunate. She also tampered a little with the text of "Ocean, Thou Mighty Monster," in which Planché's English verse is somewhat more successful than it is in some other parts of his libretto. But these things caused, apparently, little disturbance to the audience, which justly admired and vigorously applauded Mme. Matzenauer's fine singing and wonderfully rich and powerful voice.

The orchestral performance was likewise highly enjoyable in its blended euphonies, its clear and vigorous reproduction of the overtures and the symphonies.

Rose and Ottilie Sutro.

The public playing of duets on two pianos, not one of the highest or most interesting forms of the art of music, is well represented in the current season; perhaps more amply than its relative importance requires. Another representation of it was given last evening in Aeolian Hall by the sisters Rose and Ottilie Sutro, who are well-known exponents of it and who have been heard here before.

Programs of such recitals are limited by the limits of the repertory. An enlargement of it was effected by the playing, for the first time here, of an unpublished "Norse Suite" by Max Bruch, which he wrote for the Sutro sisters and dedicated to them. Reinecke's variations on a saraband by Bach, Mozart's fugue and his sonata in D major, and some pieces by Arensky and Duvernay were supplemented by an arrangement of an "Allemande" by Couperin and of Wagner's "The Ride of the Valkyries," the latter by W. H. Humiston and also in manuscript.

The playing of the Misses Sutro is not the most interesting of its kind, not stirring to the emotions, but it is of unfailing accuracy and abundant power, and it gave evident pleasure.

PHILHARMONIC IN NOVELTY.

Plays Albert Roussel's "Evocation," a Poetic Tone-Miniature.

An "Evocation" in music of what a French naval cadet saw in his youthful Asiatic voyaging and faintly described in words as "the gods in the shade of the trees," was the semi-novelty by Albert Roussel of Paris that followed late among familiar things in the Philharmonic's concert at Carnegie Hall last evening. Roussel is, in effect, another Pierre Loti, and his poetic tone-miniature, ever so slender, unsubstantial, shadowy as a Corot, is made of much weaving of foliage with sombre undercurrents characterizing apparitions of Oriental calm or savage laughter. Such pictures, in actual color, have been done by Arthur Davies in America.

The audience, of comfortable numbers for a stormy night, called on Mr. Stransky's men to rise in mass after half a program of Bach, all lately performed in these concerts, and again after Strauss's revived "Till Owlglass," though Till's pranks came haltingly near to grief at one point. In conclusion, there was Tchaikovsky's "Francesca," which is to be repeated in today's matinée, with other works of Tchaikovsky and Brahms.

George Beach in Piano Recital.

George Beach, who gave a matinee recital in Aeolian Hall yesterday after nine years abroad, showed himself the newer sort of artist, a man and musician first of all, and quite incidentally an interesting pianist, not afraid of noise, nor concerned with minutely calculated detail in the music he broadly outlined. His program, ranging from Bach's toccata and fugue in D to Liszt's fine frenzy of notes on the name "Bach," found most serious expression in Beethoven's sonata Op. 26, of a hero's funeral march, Chopin's "Raindrop" prelude, dripping molten steel, and a Debussy group, the "Cathedral," "West Wind" and others, introduced by Busoni's "Berceuse," that might have rocked Debussy's cradle. The veteran Busoni beat the cubists at their own game in kidnapping cacophonies to make an art-nouveau lullaby.

W. J. Guard Decorated by Italy.

The Italian Government has given the decoration of Chevalier of the Crown of Italy, a cross of white enamel and gold, to William J. Guard, publicity secretary of the Metropolitan Opera Company, in recognition of his services to artists and other citizens of that country, both here and abroad. Acting Consul General Ubaldo Rocchira called at the opera house yesterday and presented the cross and ribbon of the order, thanking Mr. Guard on behalf of his Government, especially as the author of a book, "The Spirit of Italy," written oversea in 1916, which was widely read in this country during the war.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

"Miss Lulu Bett," Zona Gale's dramatization of her novel, will open at the Belmont Theatre on Monday night, Dec. 27.

"The Right to Strike," a play by Ernest Hutchinson, recently produced in London, will be presented here early in the new year by Richard Walton Tully.

The complete cast of "Woman to Woman," which A. H. Woods is producing, will include Willette Kershaw, A. E. Anson, Hilda Spong, Charles Waldron, Graham Velsh, Harry Dornton, Andree Corday and Julia Chippendale.

Arthur Shaw will play his original role of the property man in the revival of "The Yellow Jacket."

"The Post Office" and "Sacrifice," by Tagore, will be acted at the Garrick Theatre for the first time this afternoon. The League of American Pen Women will offer a bill of four one-act plays this afternoon at the Morosco.

Jay Gould and Winona Winter have been engaged for "The Century Midnight Whirl," which John Henry Mears will send on the road, with Blanche Ring, Charles Winninger and Richard Carle at the head of the cast.

There will be special matinees of "Rollo's Wild Oat" at the Punch and Judy Theatre on Dec. 29 and 30.

MUSIC NOTES.

Owing to the indisposition of Johannes Sembach, the title role in "Parsifal" will be sung this afternoon at the Metropolitan Opera House by Orville Harrold, who made a great success in this music drama last season.

Mrs. Oscar Hammerstein has announced a German drama, "The Sin Bell," by Hans Knobloch, for its premiere in America on Dec. 22 at the Manhattan, to be followed during the week of Dec. 27 by a new Viennese operetta, "Where the Lark Sings," by Franz Lehar.

Frieda Hempel will give her annual New York recital in Carnegie Hall on Wednesday evening, Jan. 5.

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SHUBERT-RIVIERA. Evs. 8:15. Matinee Tom'w. THURSTON THE MAGICIAN. Nxt. W'k: Alice Brady (Pers'p) in "Anna Ascends"

METROPOLITAN OPERA HOUSE. TODAY MATINEE, at 1. PARSIFAL. Matzenauer, Gordon; Sembach, Whitehill, Blass, Didur, Gustafson—Bodanzky. TONIGHT, 8:15. TOSCA. Destinn; Gigli, Scotti, Ananian, Picco, Reschiglian—Moranzoni. SAT. at 2:00. OBERON. Ponselle, Howard; Sembach, Diaz, Dua, Martino—Bodanzky. SUN. Eve., Concert. VERDI'S REQUIEM. Destinn, Gordon, Chamlee, Rothier, Chorus, Orch. Setti. MON. at 8. FORZA DEL DESTINO. Ponselle, Gordon, Gigli; Caruso, Danise, Mardones—Papi. WED. at 8. ZAZA. Farrar, Howard; Martinelli, De Luca, Bada, Malatesta, Moranzoni. THURS. at 8. SAMSON et DALILA. Matzenauer; Caruso, Whitehill, Rothier, Dua, Ananian—Wolff. FRI. at 8, double bill. LUCIA. Garrison, Egener; Gigli, De Luca, Mardones, Bada—Papi. Followed by CARILLON MAGICO. Gilli—Papi. FRI., Dec. 24, MAT. at 2. $1 to $6. BUTTERFLY. Farrar, Fornia; Chamlee, Scotti—Moranzoni. Seats on Sale Beginning Today.

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EGG AND M'NAMARA FAIL TO GAIN LAP

Still Trail Three Leading Teams After Orgy of Speeding in Six-Day Cycle Race.

SPILLS MARK THE SPRINTS

Big Crowd Gets Sensation at Garden, but Riders Escape Serious Harm—Prize for Piani-Leene.

SCORE AT 2 A. M., 98TH HOUR.

Team.	Miles.	Laps.
Brocco and Coburn	1,570	8
Debaets and Persynn	1,570	7
Van Hevel & Vandenburgh	1,570	7
Egg and McNamara	1,570	6
Verri and Belloni	1,570	6
Piani and Leene	1,570	6
Van Nek and Miquel	1,570	6
Bedell and Thomas	1,570	6
Taylor and Smith	1,570	6
Spears and Lawrence	1,570	5
Suter and Suter	1,570	4
Grimm and Van Divelve	1,570	3

Brocco leading. Record, 1,945 miles 2 laps, made by Goullet and Grenda in 1914.

With a succession of mad sprints, exclusive of the dashes for the customary points, and a number of spills in which riders went crashing pell-mell down the steep inclined track, another capacity crowd at the twenty-ninth annual international six-day bicycle race in Madison Square Garden was kept at the high water mark of excitement last night.

The twelve surviving teams of the grind, which started with fifteen combinations, rode over the track like blue streaks in an orgy of speeding which caused as much excitement as did the sprints earlier in the week, when three teams pilfered laps.

Oscar Egg, the big Swiss rider, and his partner, Reggie McNamara of Australia, were the instigators of two jams which played havoc with the rest of the field for a time and attracted hysterical outbursts of applause from the packed garden. The two riders, tired of trailing two laps behind Maurice Brocco and Willie Coburn and a lap behind the Cesar Debaets—Alois Persyn and Julius Vanhevel—Henri Vandenburgh combinations, set out to make up some of the lost ground. In two mad riding sprees, which were interspersed with the night's point sprints, the pair appeared on the road to a lap, or maybe two, but the coveted gain never materialized. Egg and McNamara evidently were out to "ride the heart out" of the three leading combinations, and particularly Brocco and Coburn, and when the sprints were over the riders were glad of the respite.

Egg Starts Dizzy Chase.

The first jam came after the fourth sprint, when Egg shot out of the pack and circled the saucer at a dizzy pace. The field gave quick chase, but for about a mile Egg and McNamara, riding alternately, sustained their spurt before being finally overtaken. After the succeeding point whirl, McNamara went away on a frenzied dash for ground and pedaled furiously for a half mile, when Bedell skidded off the Fourth Avenue turn, and the sprint eased up.

The riders then followed their habitual pace through the remainder of the point sprints, but almost immediately with the conclusion of the series of ten dashes over the track a session was inaugurated in which sprint followed sprint, and several spills occurred. Egg and McNamara started all the jams, fighting like demons to shake off their rivals, but, though they were able to open up gaps of from ten yards to a quarter of a lap, they could not distance the field. Little Fred Taylor, particularly, hung tenaciously to the flying Swiss-Australian pair.

The first spill following the point sprints sent five of the riders down the dead man's curve incline on the Fourth Avenue end of the track in a tangled, crumpled mass. Belloni, Lawrence, Bedell, Taylor and Debaets were the quintet which crashed to the boards, ending a spirited spurt by Egg and McNamara and attracting frantic shrieks from two uninitiated women fans in an upper tier seat. A few minutes later, young Taylor again went down entering the home stretch, and Vandenburgh, riding at a slow pace in the direct rear, crashed into and rode over the fallen cyclist. Taylor was uninjured, but Vandenburgh was badly shaken up and had to be assisted to his camp cot.

The Evening Sprints.

The evening sprints resulted as follows:

First Sprint—Coburn, Vanhevel, Debaets, Leene, Smith and Egg.

Second Sprint—Brocco, Persyn, Vanlerberghe, Piani, Miquel and McNamara.

Third Sprint—Coburn, Vanhevel, Debaets, Egg, Bedell and Leene.

Fourth Sprint—Brocco, Persyn, Vanlerberghe, Miquel, McNamara and Piani.

Fifth Sprint—Coburn, Van Hevel, Debaets, Van Nek, Bedell and Egg.

Sixth Sprint—Coburn, Persyn, Vanlerberghe, Piani, Egg and Smith.

Seventh Sprint—Coburn, Debaets, Van Hevel, Miquel, McNamara and Verri.

Eighth Sprint—Brocco, Persyn, Vanlerberghe, Egg, Belloni and Piani.

Ninth Sprint—Coburn, Debaets, Van Hevel, Miquel, Leene and Belloni.

Tenth Sprint—Brocco, Persyn, Vanlerberghe, Piani, Van Nek and Smith.

The team of Piani and Leene carried off the management's prize of $50 for scoring the greatest number of points in the sprints. The total points after the sprints were:

Brocco-Coburn, leading in miles and laps covered, 457; Debaets and Persyn, one lap in front of main part of field, 297; Vanhevel and Vanlerberghe, one lap ahead of main part of field, 101; Egg and McNamara, 204; Piani and Leene, 116; Bedell and Thomas, 101; Van Nek and Miquel, 101; Verri and Belloni, 53; Taylor and Smith, 51.

In the early morning hours a small-sized riot was nipped in its incipient stage by firm and swift action by city police and detectives detailed to the garden for the race.

The trouble started when several over-enthusiastic fans in a track box began arguing among themselves. A report suspiciously resembling the bark of a pistol split the atmosphere, and there followed a wild scurrying in all directions for safety. When the detectives and uniformed men jumped on the scene they were confronted with a chair-wielding, fist-swinging, struggling mass, which was finally subdued and escorted out of the arena.

Out of the turmoil the police claimed two prisoners, James McGuire, 22 years old, who gave his address as 116 Tenth Avenue, and John Renn, 24 years old, who said he lived at 670 Tenth Avenue. When the pair were arraigned in the Yorkville Court before Magistrate Edgar V. Frothingham, charged with being intoxicated and unable to take care of themselves, they were each fined $2.

Spears Tries to Gain Lap.

Bob Spears and Percy Lawrence, who were lapped in a terrific jam early yesterday morning, started a dash in quest of their lost ground early in the afternoon and gave the comparatively large matinee crowd something to become enthusiastic over, in addition to the mad riding produced in the sprints for points. The big Australian caught the pack following a laggard pace shortly after 3 o'clock and like a streak shot down from the steep incline on the western end of the board saucer. Pedalling like fury, the rider from the Antipodes quickly gained a lead of a quarter of a lap and, almost before the other riders had assumed their best pursuit stride, Spears increased his lead to almost half of the saucer.

Finally Lawrence did mount and come to the assistance of his tired mate, but by that time the pack was closing in and before Lawrence had ridden two laps, Debaets, riding like mad, pulled up along side the unsuccessful lap thieves.

Jockey Shilling to Become Auto Race Driver, Is Report

Carroll Shilling, whose reinstatement as a jockey by the Maryland Racing Commission early in November nearly caused serious trouble among ruling turf bodies, is reported to be about to forsake racing to enter the automobile business. It is said that he will try his hand at the automobile racing game as well as devoting his energies to the sale of cars. Shilling has been assistant trainer for J. K. L. Ross, under trainer H. G. Bedwell, and it was through efforts made by Ross that Shilling was granted a license in Maryland. He later withdrew his application when the case finally came before The Jockey Club.

FORM PLAYERS SEE FEW CHOICES WIN

Natural Is Victor Over Sleepy Dear at Havana—Hunter Platt Takes Close Race.

HAVANA, Dec. 9.—The races at Oriental Park today were run over a poor track and form players had a very unprofitable day. Two first choices won.

Natural, in the opening event, scored easily over Sleepy Dear, defeating him by one and a half lengths. Sleepy Dear attempted to make a runaway race and led by four lengths in the stretch, but in the last furlong tired badly and was easily defeated.

The finish in the second race was very close. Hunter Platt closed with a rush and was up to win by a head in the last stride. Grey Rump, the favorite, tired badly in the last sixteenth.

In the claiming event for all ages Miss Brush scored, easily defeating Bianca by three lengths. Our Nephew was third, two lengths back.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE—Purse $700, for two-year-olds; claiming; five and one-half furlongs. Natural, 105 pounds (Kennedy), even, 2 to 5 and 1 to 5, first; Sleepy Dear, 104 (Francis), 4 to 1, 8 to 5 and 4 to 5, second; Miss Dixie, 101 (McCoy), 7 to 1, 5 to 2 and 6 to 5, third. Time—1:11 3-5. Win All, Chefa and Jacobean.

SECOND RACE—Purse $700, for all ages; claiming; five furlongs. Hunter Platt, 107 pounds (Kennedy), 7 to 1, 5 to 2, 6 to 5, first; Twenty-seven, 110 (Francis), 2 to 1, 4 to 5 and 2 to 5, second; Jack Hill, 104 (Scheffel), 7 to 1, 5 to 2 and 6 to 5, third. Time—1:05 2-5. Darley Belle, Ben Butler, Grey Rump and Omeme.

THIRD RACE—Purse $700, for all ages; claiming; five furlongs. Miss Brush, 112 pounds (Crump), 2 to 1, 4 to 5 and 2 to 5, first; Bianca, 112 (Carmody), 4 to 1, 1 to 2 and 1 to 5, second; Our Nephew, 112 (Kelsay), 4 to 1, 8 to 5 and 4 to 5, third. Time—1:05. De Witt, Coombs, Lady Hester, Bibbler and Janice Logan.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $700, for four-year-olds and upward; claiming; five and one-half furlongs. Goldstone 102 pounds (Francis), 4 to 1, 8 to 5 and 4 to 5, first; Clip, 102 (Atkinson), 3 to 1, even and 1 to 2, second; Dragoon, 105 (Kennedy), 5 to 2, even and 1 to 2, third. Time—1:11 1-5. Little Buss, El Coronel, Sol Gilsey and Laughing Eyes.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $700, for four-year-olds and upward; claiming; five and one-half furlongs. Avion, 107 pounds (Boyle), 3 to 1, even and 1 to 2, first; War Loan, 115 (Kennedy), 5 to 1, 2 to 1 and even, second; Frasculeo 118 (Butwell), 7 to 2, 6 to 5 and 3 to 5, third. Time—1:11 1-5. Vision, Hocnir and Bulger.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $700, for three-year-olds and upward; claiming; one mile and fifty yards. Black Thong, 102 pounds (McCoy), 2 to 1, 4 to 5 and 2 to 5, first; Rameau, 110 (Butwell), 5 to 2, even and 1 to 2, second; Donna Crafton, 102 (Fischer), 5 to 1, 2 to 1 and even, third. Time—1:50 1-5. Sunningdale, Assign and Misericorde.

GRANT RACE TRACK PERMIT.

Lower California Jockey Club Receives Exclusive Concession.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Dec. 9.—Announcement has been made that the Mexican Federal Government has granted a ten-year exclusive race track concession in Lower California to the Lower California Jockey Club. The concession was awarded by Governor M. Balarezo about a month ago, and was then forwarded to Mexico City for the approval of the Federal Government. This approval has been received and the concession formally granted.

JOCKEY CLUB HAS MEETING.

Confirms Licenses Granted Temporarily at Maryland Tracks.

The stewards of the Jockey Club held their regular monthly meeting yesterday but considered only routine matters. Among other things, they confirmed the licenses granted temporarily to trainers and jockeys of the Maryland tracks. Applications for similar licenses for the local tracks will not be heard until some time early in the new year.

NEW ORLEANS ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $600; claiming; four-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. Murphy 110 pounds, Nominee 116, Dotta's Best 110, Kirsties Cub 105, Propaganda 110, Pullux 109, Miss Kruter 102, Arch Plotter 108, Chevy 100, Circulate 110.

SECOND RACE—Purse $600; claiming; four-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. Dr. Campbell 113 pounds, Lady Mildred 102, Onico 105, Lowell 110, Nebraska 108, Amackassin 112, Virgo 110, Highland Lad 117, Keen Jane 111, Vansylvia 113.

THIRD RACE—Purse $700; claiming; all ages; one mile. Gladys 92 pounds, Countess 98, Salute 113, Balarose 118, White Socks 118, American Rose 110, Horob 110, Eleve 107, Ionia 92, Galway 118, Dalwood 118, Brookland 113, Mabel Josephine 84, Walk Up 92, Old McKenna 105, Tom Logan 113.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $700; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. Olive James 109 pounds, Lonely 104, Beck and Call 106, Big Idea 104, Beau Brummel 2d 109, Morono 115, Nancy Ann 98, Tillotoy 104, Burgoyne 118, Anna Gallup 101, Catania 109, Yaphank 112, John R. Roche 109, Lover's Lane 2d 108, Maiden Voter 99, Pindar 104.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $1,000; handicap; all ages; six furlongs. Stirling 110 pounds, Pickwick 116, aAlcatraz 90, Lady Luxury 102, St. Quentin 112, aVice Chairman 105, Rapid Day 106, Archie Alexander 98.

aFisher-Buxton entry.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $700; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; one mile and a sixteenth. Verity 110 pounds, She Devil 102, Bounding Through 99, Safranor 107, Neenah 99, Margery 105, Sunduria 105, Peggy C. 96.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $700; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; one mile and a sixteenth. Capital City 108 pounds, Marie Rappold 102, Sasin 100, Great Gull 114, Tugs 103, Plenty 113, Jack Reeves 116.

Weather clear; track heavy.

HAVANA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—For two-year-olds; purse $700; five furlongs. Mr. Jiggs 108 pounds, Willow Tree 108, Aunt Dede 105, Santa Claus 108, Vic Munoz 108, Spugs 109.

SECOND RACE—For all ages; claiming; purse $700; five and a half furlongs. Anna Magneto 96 pounds, *Grey Rump 102, *Ford 105, *Red 106, Homan 111, Farnum 111.

THIRD RACE—For all ages; claiming; purse $700; five and a half furlongs. *View 108 pounds, Major Fisk 110, Jack Hill 111, Bianca 111, *Marty Lou 111, Top Rung 116.

FOURTH RACE—For all ages; claiming; purse $700; five and a half furlongs. *Eastern Glow 102 pounds, *Pokey Jane 104, *Jack Healey 106, *Slim Palmer 106, *Driffield 109, Beaucaire 111.

FIFTH RACE—For all ages; claiming; purse $700; five and a half furlongs. *Jacobean 95 pounds, *Lui-Memo 107, *Doublet II 107, *McClelland 111, *Galopin 111, Bronco Billy 118.

SIXTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one mile and a sixteenth. *Velie 94 pounds, *Musket 98, *La Kross 104, *Bucknall 104, *Le Balafre 107, Semper Stalwart 109.

*Five pounds' apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather clear, track good.

Tiger Wrestlers Start Work.

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 9.—Gus Scheenlein of Baltimore assumed his duties at Princeton today as wrestling coach. The call for candidates brought out a squad of seventy-five men, among whom were several veterans.

FIZER IS WINNER IN FEATURED RACE

Captures Plaquemine Handicap by Length at New Orleans—Four Favorites Score.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 9.—With the aid of a very well-judged ride by Jockey Lawrence Lyke, E. P. Summerfield's Fizer scored another victory at Jefferson Park this afternoon, capturing the Plaquemine Handicap at a mile and seventy yards. This was the feature of the best card offered this week. It resulted in a good contest, with the winner leading home Master Bill by a length. Tantalus was easily third among the five which went to the post.

The racing was the best that has been seen here this week. This was due largely to the improvement in the weather. The sky was clear and the track was drying out fast, though it was still heavy along the rail. The better weather increased the attendance considerably, and the crowd was able to go away happy, as the favorites performed up to expectations. Four of them were listed among the winners.

Fizer has been in good form for some time, and today he was made the choice for the feature event, though he was conceding weight to all but General Haig. He handled his weight cleverly and found the going to his liking.

Lyke kept his mount in a contending position throughout, but saved him for the stretch run, and there had little difficulty in overtaking the tired pacemakers. Tantalus and General Haig raced from the barrier in front and fought each other for the lead for the first half mile. Tantalus finally raced General Haig down and made him quit, but tired so badly in the next furlong that he, too, dropped out of the running.

Master Bill Weakly Handled.

When Tantalus began to slow up, Lyke rushed through with Fizer, and the result was never again in doubt. Fizer drew away readily and had plenty of speed left to withstand the rush of Master Bill in the final furlong. Master Bill was weakly handled, or he might have made it much closer. He was allowed to drop far back in the early running, and, though he closed with a rush when finally let down, he had too much ground to make up. He finished six lengths in front of Tantalus, but was not threatening the leader.

George Peterson has finally got Youneed into shape and was demonstrated in the fourth event, a dash of six furlongs, when this son of Ogden romped off with an easy victory against a field of good sprinters. It was the first time he had raced to his best form in many weeks, and had evidently profited by a let-up.

Youneed took the track at the start and never left the issue in doubt. Racing Phantom Fair into submission in the first quarter of a mile, he drew away to a lead of three lengths, and maintained the advantage to the end. Phantom Fair quit badly and ceased to be a contender, but Hindoostan finished strongly and took second from Hadrian by three lengths.

The one-eyed gelding Rustler gave his backers a rude shock in the five-and-a half-furlong dash for two-year-olds when he caused himself to be left at the post after having been made a strong favorite. Rustler is probably the worst post actor in training, though he has plenty of speed when he runs kindly. He caused no much disturbance at the post that he was finally caught flatfooted when the barrier went up and was left to look at the race. Mary Head won the event, racing in front all the way, to win by more than a length from Tom Roach, with Sea Court third. It was a contest at all times between the first two.

Madam Byng Is Winner.

Madam Byng, a filly that has plenty of speed, if little courage, got a flying start in the first race at five and a half furlongs and scored an easy victory in a field of platers. She won by two lengths from Day of Peace, with Largehetto third. The latter tired chasing the pacemaker and yielded the place in the last furlong. Madam Byng had a lead of four lengths at the head of the stretch.

Miss Kruter accounted for a five and a half furlong dash and won by four lengths from Enos. Foreclosure made a good effort in the stretch and got up for third place after apparently being well out of the contest.

Favorites accounted for the last two numbers on the program. In the sixth event, at six furlongs, Hidden Jewel led all the way, but had to be put to a hard drive in the stretch to win by a length from The Nephew. It was the best finish of the day, for, while the winner was fighting it out for the victory, The Nephew got the place by only a nose from Ace of Aces.

Captain Burns struck the last blow at the oralists by winning the closing event at a mile and a sixteenth without much effort. He was much the best, and, taking the lead at the start, opened up a big gap to win by five lengths. Lady Ward was second, a nose in front of N. K. Beal, these two having fought it out for the place all through the stretch.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; five and a half furlongs. Madam Byng, 106 pounds (Josiah), 4 to 1, even, 1 to 2, first; Largehetto, 107 (Bryson), 7 to 2, 1 to 2 and 1 to 10, second; Day of Peace, 110 (Heinisch), 4 to 1, 8 to 5, 4 to 5, third. Time—1:10 4-5. Valerie West, Dancer, Belarosa and Chick Barkley also ran.

SECOND RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; five and a half furlongs. Miss Kruter, 103 pounds (Gregory), 9 to 5, 3 to 5, 1 to 4, first; Enos, 111 (Pauley), 12 to 1, 4 to 1, 2 to 1, second; Foreclosure, 102 (Shelepet), 12 to 1, 4 to 1, 2 to 1, third. Time—1:09 2-5. Tiger Rose, Little Maudie, Lamde Edgar, Hidden Ship and Comacho also ran.

THIRD RACE—For all ages; claiming; purse $700; five furlongs. Mary Head, 103 pounds (Richcreek), 4 to 1, even, 1 to 3, first; Tom Roach, 106 (Erickson), 12 to 1, 4 to 1, 7 to 5, second; Hadrian, 108 (Wright), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, even, third. Time—1:15. Phantom Fair, Mahony and Cock o' the Roost also ran.

FIFTH RACE—The Plaquemine Handicap; for all ages; purse $1,000; one mile and seventy yards. Fizer, 119 pounds (Lyke), 3 to 2, 1 to 2, 1 to 4, first; Master Bill, 108 (Clottelletti), 9 to 5, even, 2 to 5, second; Tantalus, 100 (Thurber), 8 to 1, 5 to 1, 1 to 4, third. Time—1:47. Hendrie and General Haig also ran.

SIXTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; six furlongs. Hidden Jewel, 108 pounds (Heinisch), 8 to 5, 7 to 10, 1 to 3, first; The Nephew, 106 (Meoney), 9 to 2, 8 to 5, 4 to 5, second; Ace of Aces, 117 (Davis), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, even, third. Time—1:15 3-5. Summer Sigh, Lively, Louise V., Cracow, Anticipate and Ragazza also ran.

SEVENTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one mile and a sixteenth. Capt. Burnes, 107 pounds (King), 9 to 5, 3 to 5, 1 to 4, first; Lady Ward, 107 (Erickson), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, 6 to 5, second; N. K. Beal, 110 (Thurber), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, 6 to 5, third. Time—1:50. Willigan, Warlike, Betsy, John L. Day and Captain Hodge also ran.

Weather clear, track heavy.

MAT RIVALS AT WORK.

Stecher and Lewis to Appear in Exhibition Performances Today.

Joe Stecher, heavyweight champion wrestler, and Ed (Strangler) Lewis, Kentuckian, who will engage the Nebraskan for the title in a finish bout at the Seventy-first Regiment Armory Monday night, will each play host to admirers today, in separate sessions, at George Bothner's gymnasium. Personal friends of the grapplers and wrestling critics have been invited to view the champion and his rival in their training activities.

TIGERS ADD POLO TO LIST OF SPORTS

Princeton to Be Represented by Informal Team in Indoor and Outdoor Matches.

Special to the New York Times.

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 9.—Polo practice got under way at Princeton this week with a squad of about twenty players working out daily on the riding field just east of the Palmer Stadium. The sport, a new one at Old Nassau, is being conducted under the guidance of the Field Artillery Battalion, which is supplying the mounts and coaches, who are the commissioned officers attached to the battalion. Although the candidates are at present limited to the undergraduates who are training to be future members of the Officers' Artillery Reserve Corps, it is hoped that during the year it will be possible to extend the sport to the entire university. However, since the Princeton battalion includes most of the students who have had experience at polo or a turn for the sport, the team which will be selected to go through the year's schedule of matches will be considered the university team.

Only men who have demonstrated their ability at horsemanship are allowed to play the game and most of these are seniors and juniors who have taken the artillery riding course or were officers during the war, together with a few sophomores who attended the field artillery camp at Fort Knox last Summer. New men will be admitted to candidacy after passing a series of horsemanship tests.

The battalion now has in its stables a total of thirty polo ponies, but a number of these are in the process of training and are not yet available for actual use. To make the conditions fair for all a system has been installed whereby the men draw lots for the different mounts each day.

No games will be played at Princeton during the Winter, but negotiations are under way to arrange indoor matches with the West Point Cadets in the Riding Hall at West Point and with Durland's Riding Academy of New York City.

A much more extensive program is planned for the Spring, and practice for outdoor polo will be started as soon as the ground and weather conditions become favorable for regular work. Three battery teams will be formed, so that competition may be had within the university. In addition to these the officers of the organization will make up a team and an outfit may be organized to represent the enlisted men stationed at Princeton.

Many contests with outside teams will also be scheduled and arrangements will also probably be made whereby the necessity of transporting the ponies from one place to another will be obviated. By this plan the visiting players will use ponies belonging to the home team. Princeton is in favor of an intercollegiate polo league, but no steps have been taken in this direction as yet, although it is expected that matches may be arranged next Spring with teams from Harvard and Yale.

POLO PONIES TO LEAVE.

40 of U. S. Mounts in Cup Matches Will Be Shipped Tomorrow.

According to an announcement made yesterday at the office of the United States Mail Steamship Company, forty of the American contingent of fifty polo ponies to be used by the United States team in the international polo matches for the Hurlingham Cup next June will be put aboard that line's steamship, Old North State, at Pier 74, foot of West Thirty-fourth Street, today for shipment to England.

Special box stalls, well padded, specially lighted and ventilated, have been constructed in Holds 4 and 7. In addition to the grooms who will accompany the equine stars on the voyage, an experienced veterinary surgeon also will make the trip to minister to any needs that may arise.

The Old North State will leave port tomorrow for London by way of Boulogne, and eleven days later the ponies are expected to be in their Winter conditioning quarters on Salsbury Plain. This early shipping of the ponies indicates the desire on the part of the Polo Association of America to have them thoroughly acclimated long before the international contests take place.

TORONTO BEST FIELDERS.

Has Club Average of .967, Best Mark in International League.

The Baltimore Orioles, who won the pennant in the New International League, are shown by the official fielding averages, made public yesterday, to have been excelled in fielding by the runners-up, the Maple Leafs from the far and chill city of Toronto. Only 202 errors were charged against the players of the Canadian team and the club's mark for the season of 1920 was .967, seven points ahead of the figures credited to the champions, who were guilty of 247 bobbles.

Four pitchers fielded their positions without a single mishap. They were Mosely, Akron; Heitman, Buffalo; Grevell, Jersey City, and Snyder, Toronto. Hurley of Jersey City caught 116 games without an error but the primacy behind the bat goes to Bengough of Buffalo, whose average was .983 for the 52 tussels in which he took part. Egan of Baltimore put together a mark of .981 in 81 games. The genuine old he catcher of the lot, nevertheless, was Konnick of Reading, who officiated in 122 games and had an average of .968.

WILL MEET DEC. 20.

Annual Session of Southern Association to Be Held in Memphis.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 9.—John D. Martin, President of the Southern Association, announced today that the annual Winter meeting of the association would be held here Dec. 20. The meeting usually is held Dec. 15, but the later date this year was decided upon to avoid possible conflict with the meeting of minor and major league representatives in New York.

ARMY TO ENTER AIR MEET.

U. S. Aviators Will Compete in California Aero Meet.

LONG BEACH, Cal., Dec. 9.—Full cooperation in both the ground exhibits and the aerial contests at the National Winter Air Tournament, to be held here on Dec. 25, 26, and 27, has been promised by the United States Army Air Service, it was announced here today by the Aero Club of Southern California, under whose auspices the air meet will be held.

Lieutenant H. Halverson of San Francisco, acting under instructions from Major-General Charles T. Menoher, chief of the Air Service, has conferred in Los Angeles with the Aero Club officials and has promised them, they said, that the Army would enter at least twenty of the fastest planes available on the Pacific Coast, as well as additional ground exhibits.

TO DECIDE BICYCLE TITLE.

Amateurs to Race for Ten-Mile Indoor Championship Tomorrow.

Amateur bicycle riders of note will be visible tomorrow night at the Forty-seventh Mounted Engineers Armory, Marcy Avenue and Heyward Street, Brooklyn. Several events are on the card, but the one to attract the speed merchants particularly is a special race for the ten-mile indoor championship. For the rider leading in the greatest number of laps Major Walter Corwin has offered as trophy a silver loving cup.

Princeton's Athletics Show $3,101.55 Deficit for Year

Special to The New York Times.

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 9.—Princeton's athletic year ending July 31, 1920, was operated at a deficit of $3,101.55, according to the yearly financial statement issued by Dean McClenahan, Chairman of the Board of Control, and G. R. Murray, Graduate Athletic Treasurer. This was in spite of the fact that three sports, football, baseball and basketball, showed a total net revenue of $83,931.01. The deficit was due to unusual expenses that included a new baseball stand to replace the one destroyed by fire last year, the reconstruction of the baseball cage and alterations in the gymnasium. Both of Princeton's major sports, rowing and track, showed deficits last season, the crew season alone costing old Nassau a total of $8,341.97. All sports with the exception of the first three mentioned, were run at a loss which totaled over $24,000 in addition to general and administrative expenses of nearly $53,000. Football was as usual, Princeton's greatest financial asset, bringing a revenue of $71,780.52.

UNGER WINS AGAIN IN BALKLINE PLAY

Former Champion Shows Fine Stroke in Easy Victory in Class C Tourney.

With the Class C balkline billiard tournament of the National Association of Billiard Players at the National Recreation Academy in Brooklyn progressing well through the preliminary stages, Ferdinand Unger is beginning to loom up as one of the most formidable of the entries for the title. Unger, who was formerly national champion in this class, showed that he was in fine stroke last night when he made the high run of the tournament with a cluster of 39 in defeating J. Ward by a score of 150 to 77.

Unger played the best billiards that has been seen during the tourney, and had an average of 6 6-24. He was consistently good at every turn at the table, and had fine control of the balls. He soon had a commanding lead, and there was never any question of his ability to win. This was the third game for Unger in the tournament, and he has not yet been defeated. He has a leg on the cup that goes with the title, and if he wins this tourney he will take permanent possession of the trophy.

There were three other games played in the tourney last night. J. Johann easily disposed of R. Vonduring by 150 to 60, playing a steady game and leading almost from the start. The veteran Louis A. Servatius was another victor, defeating J. Clemens by 150 to 126 in the closest match of the evening. Servatius and Clemens were well matched and it was only in the last few innings that Servatius drew clear of his opponent.

Charles Steinbugler, who is regarded as one of the strong contenders, suffered a defeat at the hands of Claud Lewis by 150 to 99. Lewis was in fine stroke and led practically all the way.

The preliminary round is being played in three sections, the best two in each section to play in the final round. The leaders of the three sections, last night's games included, are as follows:

	Won.	Lost.
Section A, F. Unger	3	0
Section B, Claud Lewis	3	0
Section C, G. Spears	2	0

QUINTET WILL PLAY GRADS.

N. Y. U. Varsity Basketball Team to Struggle Against Alumni.

New York University's basketball team will open its season tonight on the University Heights Gymnasium court against the alumni five. The Violet Varsity will have no easy time with the grads, as many of the court stars of the past few seasons will be on the team.

Coach Thorp's charges are in good form and should put up a first-class brand of basketball. A light practice session was held yesterday and the team seems to be in mid-season form. The alumni team will be composed of Mooney, centre; Cann and Marin, forwards; White and Cummings, guards.

The Varsity team will line up with Robertson at centre, Goeller and either Holman or Edelstein at the forward positions, and Captain Baker and Delaney at guards. This combination has worked together in the practice sessions for the past two weeks and has developed some fine team play.

CITY COLLEGE FIVE READY.

Will Present Strong Line-Up in Princeton Game Here Tomorrow.

Cheered by a crowd of more than 600 students, the City College varsity basketball team was put through its last hard practice of the week yesterday in preparation for the game with Princeton tomorrow night at the local gymnasium. The varsity was first pitted against the second team over which it scored a complete victory in less than twenty minutes. Without giving his charges any rest, Coach Holman then lined the varsity up against the freshman team for a period lasting nearly an hour.

The game with Princeton will be the fourth between the Lavender and the Black and Orange in four years. In the three previous engagements the Tigers succeeded in winning by very close scores. Twice an extra period was necessary to settle the game, while last year the Princeton men won in the last minute of play. Two games have been arranged for this season, the first of which will be played in this city tomorrow. The other will be contested at Princeton next Friday evening.

From present indications, the gymnasium, which holds about 2,000 spectators, will be filled long before game time tomorrow night. According to information received yesterday from Princeton, the Tigers will probably start the game with Captain Netts and Opie, the bespectacled player, at the forward positions; Dickenson at centre and Legendre and Wittmer in the backfield. Captain Netts, Opie, Dickenson and Legendre are veterans of last year, and, with the exception of Opie, are varsity football players. For City College, Lamm and Krin, forwards, Murray, centre, and Captain Feigin and Raskin, guards, will be the line-up. All the men except Murray were regular members of the team which won thirteen out of sixteen games last year.

MANHATTAN CLUB WINS.

Defeats St. Ann's Academy in Basketball by Score of 22 to 13.

The Manhattan Club basketball team won its fourth straight victory of the season last night when it defeated St. Ann's Academy on the latter's court by a score of 22 to 13. The playing of Dunne and Smith was largely responsible for the victory of the Manhattan Club players. The score at the end of the first half was 7 to 6 in favor of the Manhattan Club five.

TOLBERT ACTING CAPTAIN.

Guard of Harvard Eleven Is Honored by Basketball Team.

BOSTON, Dec. 9.—James R. Tolbert of Oklahoma City, a guard on the Harvard football team, was appointed acting captain of the Crimson's newly organized basketball team today. Roscoe Fitts and Clark Macomber are other members of the eleven who are seeking letters in basketball.

FAIL TO SIGN FOR CUE TITLE MATCH

Hoppe and Horemans Still Unable to Agree to Terms for Billiard Contest.

Another serious hitch has occurred in the negotiations for a world's championship balkline billiard match between Willie Hoppe and Edouard Horemans. Another conference was held between the representatives of the players yesterday and various points were discussed at length. The session ended with nothing of a definite purpose accomplished other than the formal presentation to R. B. Benjamin, Hoppe's business representative, of a statement of the conditions under which Horemans seeks to play the champion.

This statement was in the form of an ultimatum, or, rather, a definite memorandum, of what Horemans is willing to do. In it the Belgian billiardist states that the $1,000 he has posted with the Brunswick-Balke-Collender Company is to bind two matches with Hoppe, one at 18.1 and the other at 18.2 balkline, both for the world's championship. He recommends that the first match be played in February or March for a side bet of $500 and the net receipts, to be divided 60 per cent. to the winner and 40 per cent. to the loser, the dates and place to be mutually agreed upon. He suggests that the 18.2 match be played first, as both players have been playing that style, and that the 18.1 match follow within forty days, American rules to govern both contests and American equipment to be used.

Just before leaving this city for Boston yesterday, R. B. Benjamin stated that the match was no nearer realization than it had been at any time since negotiations were first opened following the arrival of Horemans in this country. "We feel that Horemans has everything to gain and nothing to lose in meeting Hoppe. Should he be successful, naturally, he would become a great drawing card. If he really believes that he has a chance to defeat Hoppe I see no reason why he should not be willing to gamble to the extent of playing Hoppe on a winner-take-all basis. Those were the conditions under which Hoppe always defended his title until the inauguration of the championship tournaments which preclude Hoppe's defending his title in championship matches outside the tournaments.

What Hoppe Demands.

"We are determined to insist that not less than $1,000 a side be wagered on the matches and that the winner shall take all of the net receipts or the purse. Hoppe is willing to take this chance and I can see no good reason why Horemans should not be. I am going to Boston and do not expect to return before the end of next week. I will be ready to sign articles immediately if Horemans is prepared to accept those conditions."

Shepard Barclay, who is handling Horemans's American tour, is more sanguine than is R. B. Benjamin. While he insists that Horemans will not consider accepting the conditions mentioned by Hoppe's representative, he believes that the differences will be overcome in the immediate future and that two matches will be definitely arranged.

"The conditions Mr. Benjamin wants to impose are out of the question. He offered to pay Horemans a flat sum of $1,500, win or lose, for the Belgian's end, but, of course, we would not consider any such arrangement. We are willing to take a chance on the gate receipts, but we do not think we should be asked to play on a winner-take-all basis. I know of no other sport where such an arrangement obtains. We will play on a sixty-forty basis, and I think that is a fair arrangement for both. Horemans will leave his money up as long as he is in this country and Hoppe can cover it whenever he sees fit."

Horemans left this city for Chicago yesterday afternoon on the Twentieth Century. He traveled alone. In the short time he has been in this country he has learned sufficient English to make himself understood. For this reason he did not deem it necessary to take his secretary, F. J. L. Derks, with him. Horemans has gone to the Windy City to engage in a series of exhibition matches that will keep him away until week after next.

To Play in the West.

Tomorrow night he will engage Pierre Maupome in an exhibition balkline match. Maupome is best known as a three-cushion player, but he originally came to this country from Mexico heralded as a balkline star. When Charley Peterson, the well-known fancy shot maker and referee, saw Maupome in action and realized his powerful stroke he suggested that the Mexican take up the angle game. On Monday the Belgian will tackle Percy Collins, the present national amateur champion, who has been granted permission to engage in the exhibition by the National Association of Amateur Billiard Players. He will play David McAndless, the former amateur champion, on Tuesday and will play Alex Taylor on Wednesday. Thursday, Friday and Saturday will be devoted to exhibitions at the different clubs in Chicago.

The first four days of the week following will be spent in Detroit, where he will engage Charley Heddon and other well-known players. Then he will return to New York.

Walker Cochran and Jake Schaefer, who were defeated by Hoppe in the national championship tournament which ended at the Hotel Astor on Wednesday night, left this city yesterday to return to California. Before leaving they stated that they would seriously consider returning east in February or March to play against Horemans.

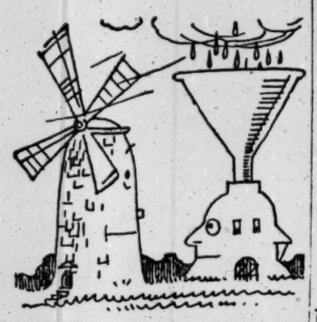
Willie Hoppe will be seen in action in this city again tonight, when he will play an exhibition match against Charley Peterson at John Doyle's Academy.

It was announced yesterday that Ralph Greenleaf, the professional pocket billiard champion, is well on the road to recovery from his recent serious illness. He will be able to resume playing next week and is scheduled to meet Larry Stoutenburg in an exhibition at the Union Club Thursday night.

THREE CUE PLAYERS TIED.

Cannefax, Layton and Jackson Deadlocked in Billiard Finals.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—



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GOULD SHOWS SKILL IN SQUASH VICTORY

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HARVARD DEFEATS TIGERS

Princeton Club Team No Match for Crimson Opponents—Dana Wins Close Game From Mixsell.

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Princeton Club	0	3	.000

Playing some of the best squash tennis he has exhibited all season, Jay Gould of the Columbia Club added another to his impressive list of triumphs yesterday afternoon, when he won for the Columbia Club Class A team in its match with the Crescent A. C. on the latter's courts, defeating C. M. Bull Jr. in straight games, 15—8, 15—9. The Columbia seven came out victorious by 5 matches to 2, while at the Yale Club the Harvard Club team vanquished Princeton by the same score of 5 to 2. The feature of the latter meeting was a close match between the top-notchers of the two sevens, Anderson Dana of Harvard and Harold R. Mixsell. The Harvard man won by 15—8, 15—18, 15—10. The result of the afternoon's play was to strengthen the Harvard Club's position in the van of the Class A sevens.

The Gould-Bull match at the Brooklyn Club's courts resulted much as expected. Gould ranks fourth on the national list and Bull seventh. But the decisiveness of the Columbia Club champion's victory had not been anticipated. Gould's consistent hard hitting and his many truly wonderful gets were the main factors in his triumph. The court tennis king was exceptionally successful in masking his shots. He waited till the last possible fraction of a second before swinging on the ball, and his remarkable nimbleness of wrist enabled him to lend additional deceptiveness to his strokes. Bull was rarely able to anticipate his opponent's next move. Gould made his shots with equal success from every sort of position, governing his movements with the best of judgment and court craft.

Gould Away to Good Start.

The Columbia man started with a rush in the opener, quickly piling up a lead of 9—0. Bull then earned four aces, but Gould led again at 13—4 and then finished out the points by well angled and well directed shooting. In the second game both men drew a long series of scoreless hands before they were able to get started. There was considerable interference between them as both sought the commanding position in the centre of the court, and many lets were called. Gould was much the steadier of the two, and he earned as many points on Bull's errors as he did on his own placements, though it was frequently his hard smashing that forced the errors. Bull exhibited a particular affinity for the telltale in the second game. Gould had the situation well in hand throughout this game, capturing it at 15—9 and the match in straight games.

Fink, second man on the Crescent list, dropped his first game to E. W. Putnam, but won the next two with comparative ease. Baxter defeated Lyle E. Mahan of Columbia, the well-known lawn tennis player, in straight games. Cornell won a hammer-and-tongs match from Doig of Crescent in three games and W. H. Putnam had a great deal of trouble defeating Sterling of Crescent in a long-drawn-out battle by 17—15, 8—15, 15—12. Bulkley and Keeler won for Columbia in straight games.

Dana's victory for the Harvard Club over Mixsell, runner-up in the recent scratch tournament of the National Association, was brought about largely by superior steadiness and greater finish in executing his around-the-court shots. The Princeton man had trouble following the ball in his first game and made many misses. Both used change of pace frequently and not always with successful results. Sometimes they applied so much change of speed that the ball landed in the telltale. They divided the first two games, the second running into extra points before Mixsell captured it. In the rubber Mixsell tied the count at 5-all, but thereafter Dana held command to the finish.

Taylor in Good Form.

Murray Taylor won over J. C. Neely of the Princeton Club in a skillful exhibition of squash. He had to bring all his resources into play to gain the decision in three games, scored 8—15, 15—5, 15—10. Richards won another close three-game match for the Harvard Club, while Coburn and Whitlock added their points with greater decisiveness. Taylor and Tobey were the winners for the Princeton Club, the latter defeating Grinnell after a long struggle, 15—10, 8—15, 15—11. Taylor and Morrison divided their first two games by the same score, but the Princeton man won the rubber with ease, allowing his opponent but a single point.

The summaries:

Harvard Club 5, Princeton Club 2.

Anderson Dana, Harvard, defeated H. R. Mixsell, Princeton, 15—8, 15—18, 15—10; John Taylor, Princeton, defeated P. M. Morrison, Harvard, 10—15, 15—10, 15—1; Harold Tobey, Princeton, defeated L. I. Grinnell, Harvard, 15—10, 8—15, 15—11; J. A. Richards, Harvard, defeated H. D. Harvey, Princeton, 12—15, 17—16, 15—10; R. G. Coburn, Harvard, defeated Basil Harris, Princeton, 15—8, 15—8; F. S. Whitlock, Harvard, defeated E. C. Olds, Princeton, 18—16, 15—10; Murray Taylor, Harvard, defeated J. C. Neely, Princeton, 8—15, 15—5, 15—10.

Columbia Club 5, Crescent A. C. 2.

Jay Gould, Columbia, defeated G. M. Bull Jr., 15—8, 15—9; R. E. Fink, Crescent, defeated E. W. Putnam, Columbia, 10—15, 15—7, 15—3; Andrew Baxter Jr., Crescent, defeated Lyle E. Mahan, Columbia, 15—7, 15—8; F. S. Keeler, Columbia, defeated C. W. Dingee, Crescent, 15—7, 15—7; N. L. Cornell, Columbia, defeated James Doig, Crescent, 15—10, 10—15, 15—12; H. Duncan Bulkley, Columbia, defeated K. F. McVaugh, Crescent, 18—15, 15—6; W. H. Putnam, Columbia, defeated M. M. Sterling, Crescent, 17—15, 8—15, 15—12.

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43 IN SQUASH TOURNEY.

Big Entry List for National Handicap Play, Beginning Tomorrow.

The annual national handicap tournament of the National Squash Tennis Association will start tomorrow on the courts of the Harvard Club, with an entry list of forty-three. It is hoped to complete the first and second rounds Saturday and Sunday, so that the semi-finals may be reached on Thursday of next week and the final on Saturday, Dec. 18. A. H. Tomes is the head of the committee in charge of the tournament.

Auguste J. Cordier, the national champion, who also won the handicap event a year ago, defeating D. S. Baker, his Yale Club teammate in the final, will not be able to compete this year. He has not yet sufficiently recovered from his recent illness. But there will be many high ranking players on the list, including Anderson Dana of the Harvard Club, C. M. Bull, Jr., of the Squash Club and Livingston Platt of the Yale Club, who rank third, seventh and eighth, respectively, in the national standing. R. Earl Fink, the Central A. C. expert, is another of the entries.

Duffy to Replace Smith.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 9.—Jack Duffy will meet Harry Greb in a ten-round bout here on Dec. 11, it was announced today. Duffy will substitute for Jeff Smith, who was injured while training.

Gould to Meet Kinsella In Court Tennis Battle

Jay Gould, former world's open champion in court tennis and still recognized as the foremost player in the world, will meet Walter Kinsella, the American professional champion, in an exhibition match at Tuxedo Park, N. Y., at 11 A. M. on Sunday, Dec. 19. The match will be played at half fifteen for a bisque, best three sets in five. That is, Kinsella will give Gould a bisque, while Gould concedes Kinsella one-half fifteen. This will be the first meeting of the two foremost exponents of court tennis in the land since Dec. 2, 4 and 6 of last year, when Gould won the open championship of the country. Gould was the world's champion until he allwed his title to go by default to G. F. Covey, the English professional. Gould defeated Covey in Philadelphia in 1914 in the titular match, seven sets to one.

BOXING OFFICIALS ISSUE 128 PERMITS

License Committee Takes Favorable Action on Many Applications at Meeting.

Chairman Larry McGuire of the License Committee, which, with the Boxing Commission, supervises boxing under the Walker law in this State, must have sustained a severe case of writers' cramp yesterday on the occasion of the committee's weekly meeting. In the course of the session 128 applications for licenses received favorable action, which necessitated the affixing of the McGuire signature to each individual license. This was the heaviest disbursement of permits recorded for several weeks. Other routine business in connection with the conduct of boxing throughout the State, was up for discussion and action, but no announcement, other than the list of successful applicants for licenses, was forthcoming when the session ended early last evening.

Of the latest batch of licenses are seventy-two boxers, forty-three seconds, nine managers, one judge, one referee and two trainers. Marty Farrell, sparring partner of Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion; Al McCoy of Brooklyn, Bartley Madden, west side heavyweight, and Clay Turner of Harlem are the most prominent boxers to secure permits. Farrell and Madden submitted their applications for the purpose of obtaining the official indorsement in time to permit of their participation in bouts at Madison Square Garden Tuesday night, when Champion Dempsey will defend his title against Bill Brennan.

Billy Roche, veteran handler of boxers, referee, promoter and all-around utility man in things pugilistic, was among the nine managers licensed. Benny Murphy was another who received permission to act as a boxer's manager, and in the list of seconds Murphy's name appears again. Thomas Toddy Leonard of Harlem was approved as a judge, and John J. Waldron received the only referee's license issued.

The complete list of licenses awarded follows:

Boxers.

Wallie Ahern, Trixie Anderson, Battling Bobby Bolin, Willie Barrett, Jimmy Higgins, Terry Brooks, Frankie Burke, Young Curtis, Eddie Clough, Louis D'Arco, Kiddie Diamond, Al Dix, Bobby Dixon, Dan Dowd, Nat Dunn, Happy Egan, Marty Farrell, Nat Foster, Joe Foster, Young Frears, Sammy Fritz, Young Ermon Fulton, Harry Gardner, Frank Joseph Gerardo, Johnny Gray, Mayor Green, Spider Higgins, Johnny Howard, Dan Humphries, Fighting Dick Hyland, Kid Jackson, Young Sol Jasper, Little Jack Johnson, Willie Jones, Maxie Kaufman, Mike Keller, Willie Linden, Frank (Red) Lyons, Young Lanny, Al McCoy, Kid McDonald, Young McGovern, Mickey McGuigan, Tom McMahon, Dummy Mack, Young Mack, Bartley Madden, Cy Martin, Jimmy Mason, Jackie Moore, Jimmy O'Brien, Ray Parks, Battling Patsy Philbin, Johnny Phillips, Bobby Reade, Larry Reagan, Jack Riskin, Al Rogers, Arthur Rose, Fred Smith, Young Smith, Bobby Thomas, Johnnie Tobin, Jimmie Travers, Clay Turner, Harry Turner, Gus Vernon, Johnnie Ward, Sailor Jimmy White, Joe Wiener, Soldier Wilson, Georgie Woods.

Managers.

Daniel Hanna, Jack Humphries, John Thomas James, Benny Murphy, James J. O'Connor, William L. Riley, Billy Roche, Walter A. Taylor, Sol Tralango.

Judge.

Thomas Toddy Leonard.

Referee.

John J. Waldron.

Seconds.

Louis Leonard Altman, Peter A. Anderson, William S. Bagley, Raymond J. Blake, Edward Bronstein, James R. Carroll, Richard Coffey, John Connors, Andrew Curry, James Curtin, Micheal Ferrulo, Bert Finch, Jack Fisher, Warren Gelston, James E. Gorman, William Gronert, Henry Haas, Jack Kearns, Edward Koehler, Edward Kreger, Patsy Lanzetta, Ralph Leibetrau, Joseph Master, Martin J. McGowan, Benny Murphy, Anthony Jr. Niederreiter, James J. O'Connor, Miles O'Donnell, Harry Pierce, Charles Mallsco, William L. Riley, William Ryan, Andrew Riley, Sam Rubin, Harry Schachtman, James Shalley, Ben Smith, Tom Stanley, Michael Tafuri, William Bill Tate, Frankie Young, Terry Young, Peter Zernentah.

Trainers.

Jack Humphries, Francis Felix Serio.

BEREGAN SCORES KNOCKOUT

Easily Defeats Greenberg in Amateur Bout at New York A. C.

Charles Beregan of the Bronxdale A. C., who is being groomed for the State amateur championship in the 150-pound class, made a promising showing in the boxing bouts at the New York Athletic Club last night, when he scored a clean knockout over George Greenberg in the first round. A hard smash to the chin brought about the victory. Beregan displayed considerable cleverness in the brief time before the knockout.

There were ten bouts decided and they resulted in some lively boxing. These were the preliminaries, the finals to be decided tomorrow night. Knockouts came thick and fast, four of the victories being won in that manner.

J. Pastora defeated A. Rubino of the Bronx Church House in a single round in the first of the bouts in the 110-pound class. He rushed at his opponent and soon had him down and out. In the 130-pound class, Martin Smith of K. of C. Council 502, scored a knockout in one round over Sol Wallack, brother of Leach Cross. This was followed by another quickly ended bout when J. McCauley of the National Turn Verein knocked out A. Ferrer in one round.

The summaries:

110-Pound Class—J. Pastora defeated A. Rubino, one round; Tom Ryan, K. of C. 502, defeated Albert Petti, Bronx Church House, three rounds, decision.

130-Pound Class—Martin Smith, K. of C. 502, defeated Sol Wallack, one round; Russell Merrill, Brooklyn A. A., defeated A. Rosenblum, Harnax Club, three rounds, decision; J. McCauley, National Turn Verein, defeated A. Ferrer, unattached, one round; A. Cronin, unattached, defeated A. Pollak, three rounds, decision; A. Anfen, Paulist A. C., defeated R. Barrett, three rounds, decision; R. Clippman, East Side Club, defeated E. McGuire, K. of C., three rounds, decision.

150-Pound Class—Charles Beregan, Bronxdale A. C., defeated George Greenberg, unattached, one round.

140-Pound Class—H. Hoffman, National Turn Verein, defeated J. Ganuto, Ozanam Club, three rounds, decision.

WILSON FLOORED TWICE.

Robinson Gets Newspaper Decision Over Middleweight Champion.

MONTREAL, Dec. 9.—George Robinson of Boston, Mass., was given a sporting writers' decision over Johnny Wilson, holder of the world's middleweight boxing championship, in a ten-round bout here tonight. No referee's decisions are allowed in Montreal.

Wilson was knocked down by the first blow landed in the opening round, and went down again in the seventh. Robinson was floored in the ninth.

PENN STATE INVITED TO PLAY COLUMBIA

Blue and White Angling for Gridiron Game with Bezdek's Team at Polo Grounds.

The possibility of the Army eleven playing Columbia at the Polo Grounds next Fall is now being discounted on Morningside Heights, and authentic information indicates that the Columbia football management is looking around for another big team for the Oct. 22 game at the Polo Grounds. It was said on reliable information yesterday that overtures have been made to Penn State to come to New York on that date, which would precede by a week the contest that the Centre County collegians have arranged with Georgia Tech for the Polo Grounds gridiron. No reply has yet been received from State, as far as is known.

Coincident with the offer of Penn State, the Columbia athletic authorities, it is understood, renewed with vigor their negotiations with Centre College, which was offered the date of Oct. 22 along with Illinois, Virginia and the Army. Illinois wired back that it could not accept the arrangement, and the Army had booked a game with Yale on that date. Centre is known to be considering the Columbia proposition, and, according to reports from Cambridge, has notified Harvard that it would like to play in the Stadium on Oct. 29, so as to allow for a game with Columbia in New York on the 22d. This statement by Centre is taken at Columbia to mean that a game with the Danville eleven will ultimately be arranged.

The unlikelihood of Columbia meeting the Army is based on the fact that the cadets are likely to ask the Blue and White to play at West Point this year. It is pointed out that the soldiers have already arranged two games away from home—with Yale on Oct. 22, and with the Navy on Nov. 26—and that they are considering a contest with Notre Dame at the Polo Grounds. With this list of games away from the Point, it is considered probable that if Columbia were to be added to the list, the game would have to be played on the cadets' home field. Columbia is understood to be opposed to making this trip as early in the season as Oct. 15, which is the date under consideration.

Considerable sentiment exists among the Columbia alumni body for an intersectional game this year. Several member of the athletic committee are said to be anxious for such a contest, especially if a well-known Western or Southern eleven could be brought to the Polo Grounds. Centre, Penn State and Virginia are the only possibilities right now, and the last-named is only a remote possibility.

Columbia's determination to play a mid-October game at the Brush Stadium will assure at least five games on that gridiron next Fall, with other contests probable. In addition to the usual Army-Navy clash on Nov. 26, there will be the Columbia-Cornell battle on Nov. 19, the Dartmouth-Cornell game on one of the November Saturdays, and the Georgia Tech-Penn State tussle on Oct. 29. This still leaves one Saturday open in November and also the date of Oct. 15, which can not be guaranteed by the Polo Grounds officials because of the possibility of a world's series there at that time.

FIVE MORE ATHLETES BACK.

Hurdler, Wrestler and Football Trio Return From Antwerp.

The last contingent of Uncle Sam's representatives in the Olympic Games held at Antwerp last Summer returned to this country yesterday on the United States transport Pocahontas. When the men stepped down the gangplank they completed the list of several hundred who went abroad to conquer the world in athletics and who have since returned in groups, to disband and await the next renewal of the international classic in 1924.

The returning competitors numbered five and included a hurdler, wrestler, and three football players. Everett Ellis, Syracuse, was the hurdler; Carl Johnson of Boston the grappler, and the three football players were William Muldoon, J. P. Fitzgerald, and J. Winston, all members of the California rugby football team. The returned athletes plan to leave this city late this evening for their respective homes.

Following the completion of the Olympic Games the quintet went on independent tours or visits to their relatives abroad. Ellis traveled to England, while the football players toured part of the Continent, playing in Spain, Switzerland, Italy, France, and Germany. Johnson visited Sweden.

LEHIGH ANNOUNCES GAMES.

Six Gridiron Contests Already Arranged and Two Dates Held Open.

Special to The New York Times.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Dec. 9.—The Lehigh football schedule tentatively announced includes big company as usual. The open dates are Oct. 1 and Nov. 5. Holy Cross, Marietta and Carnegie Tech are being considered, but nothing definite has been done yet. Lehigh is desirous of keeping West Virginia on the schedule, of course, but it cannot do so unless an agreeable date is selected. The athletic authorities believe that Holy Cross, Marietta and Carnegie would all make fine opponents and good rivals if a two-year contract is entered into. Either one, in case the West Virginia game fails to come through, would be welcomed by followers of Lehigh.

The schedule follows:

Oct. 1, open; 8, Rutgers at New Brunswick; 15, Penn State at State; 22, W. and J. at Bethlehem; 29, Muhlenberg at Bethlehem.

Nov. 5, open; 12, Lebanon Valley at Bethlehem; 19, Lafayette at Bethlehem.

WINTER SPORTS TO START.

Wrestling, Swimming and Basketball Begin at Columbia.

Three Winter sports at Columbia will get under way today and tomorrow, with swimming and wrestling leading the way tonight and basketball following suit tomorrow evening. Coach Ed Kennedy's swimmers and championship water polo team will begin their season in the C. C. N. Y. pool in a scheduled league meet. The City College polo combination defeated Penn in its first meet and is said to possess greater strength than last year's aggregation.

The wrestling team's opponents will be Pratt Institute, the meet to be held in the Columbia gymnasium. Tomorrow evening the West Point five, playing its only game away from home with the exception of the contest with the Navy, will help raise the curtain on the basketball season.

WANTS BOSTON GAME.

West Virginia Proposes Oct. 22 as Date for Football Battle.

NEWTON, Mass., Dec. 9.—The University of West Virginia has requested a football game with Boston College next fall, to be played here on Oct. 22, it was announced today. The Boston College Athletic Association said it would take the request under advisement.

FOOTBALL MAN AN EDITOR.

Cunningham of Dartmouth Gets Post on College Daily.

Special to The New York Times.

HANOVER, N. H., Dec. 9.—E. W. Cunningham, centre on the Dartmouth football team for the last two years, and now a strong candidate for All-American honors, was tonight elected to an associate editorship on The Dartmouth, the daily undergraduate publication of the college.

Midshipmen to Be Allowed More Games Away From Home

Special to The New York Times.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 9.—Greater liberality of the Navy Department towards Naval Academy athletics in the matter of permitting the midshipmen to engage in contests away from Annapolis was indicated by the announcement today of away from home matches in three different lines. The football team next year will meet Pennsylvania State at Philadelphia on Nov. 12. The swimming team will enter the finals of the Intercollegiate Swimming Association to be held in the Columbia pool New York, March 19; and the lacrosse twelve will meet Johns Hopkins at Homewood, near Baltimore, on May 14. The Navy Department appears to be willing to permit the Naval Academy teams to meet the Military Academy in any branch of sport, either on neutral grounds or on the home and home basis, and also to play one other game away from home in most of the branches of sport.

PRINCETON BOOKS THREE NEW GAMES

Contests With Chicago, Colgate and Virginia on 1921 Football Schedule.

Special to The New York Times.

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 9.—The Princeton 1920 football schedule was announced today by Manager G. H. Love. The list of games is noticeably harder than this year's, and is composed of the usual number, seven games. Three names appear on the list which were not on the 1920 schedule.

The most interesting of the new games will be the intersectional game with the University of Chicago, which will be held at the Palmer Stadium on Oct. 22. This is the first time that a Princeton eleven has met a Western team since 1898, and will be the centre of considerable interest.

Colgate will again meet the Tigers, who hope to retrieve the 7 to 0 defeat received at the hands of the Colgate team in 1919. Practically the only easy game on the schedule will be that with the University of Virginia on Oct. 29, preceding the Harvard and Yale contests. The University of Maryland, Washington and Lee and West Virginia have all been dropped from the list.

The complete schedule is as follows:

Oct. 1, Swarthmore at Princeton; 8, Colgate at Princeton; 15, Navy at Annapolis; 22, Chicago at Princeton; 29 Virginia at Princeton.

Nov. 5, Harvard at Princeton; 12, Yale at New Haven.

COLUMBIA AWARDS LETTERS

Coveted "C" Goes to 24 Blue and White Gridiron Players.

Twenty-four football players were awarded the football "C" at Columbia in a list of athletic awards made public yesterday by the University Committee on Athletics. Included in the list were five sports—football, crew, baseball, golf and cross-country. The crew, baseball and golf awards were to members of last Spring's teams, and the football and cross-country are based on performances this Fall.

Nine oarsmen out of the Varsity squad that Jim Rice took to Ithaca last June received the crew "C" with crossed oars, the regulation insignia for the first eight. The junior Varsity crew "C" was awarded to the second string combination and nine of the freshman oarsmen received the reward of class numerals with crossed oars. The numerals were also awarded to twenty members of the yearling football team this Fall.

In cross-country only one letter was voted, that to Captain Walter Higgins, who distinguished himself by breaking two records at Van Cortlandt Park. The other harriers had to be content with the insignia "cCc." There were eight of these awards.

The baseball insignia, which had been over from last Spring, were voted to eleven diamond warriors, and four substitutes received the "bCb." The golf insignia "gCt" were awarded to eight members of the links team, including Captain A. Lucien Walker Jr., former intercollegiate champion.

The awards follow:

Football "C"—Anderson, Applebaum, Brodil, Burtt, Calloway, Canapary, Eccles, Forsythe, Herman, Hinch, Harris, Johnstone, Klenninger, Korn, Larner, Modareill, Moszczenski, Noll, Pulleyn, Reilly, Scovil, Thornton, Walder, Johnson and Manager Kappes.

Football "cC"—De Pronzo, Grace, Habenicht, Myers, Miller, Schenter, Lovell.

Football "1924"—Bodenbender, Baldwin, Burkett, Cunningham, Dillingham, Echavarria, Gebb, Hogan, Harrison, Knebel, C. Lane, C. Lange, Liebowitz, Mayer, Neale, Smith, Stretch, Sanford, Stewart, Watkins.

Varsity Crew "C," with Crossed Oars—Captain Leys, Van Houten, Waldecker, Swinburne, Gallico, Herman, Curry, Ruffalo, Ford, Jones.

Junior Varsity Crew "C"—Knodel, Saacke, Scovil, Parks, Frost, Enslow, Bradshaw, Wright, Brush.

Crew "cCc"—Thomson, Helwig, Dresbach.

Freshman "1923" Numerals, with Crossed Oars—Brodil, Cooper, Tufts, Orselli, Bruce, Nordholm, Willet, Medigovitch, Levi.

Cross-Country Minor Sport "C"—Captain Higgins.

Cross-Country "cCc"—Cuffee, Harris, Haskell, Lowenkouf, Schaeffer, Turner, Stewart, Hudson, Fitzgibbon.

Freshman, Numerals, "1924," Cross-Country—Captain Jerman.

Baseball "C"—Tedford, Houlihan, Schnaars, Ackerman, Hauck, Goodman, Weinstein, Buonaguro, Meany, Weschler, T. Farrell, Tynan, Rosa.

Baseball "bCb"—Smith, W. Farrell, Koenig, Pulleyn, Saxe.

Golf "gCt"—Walker, Rohdenburg, Schreiber, Tower, Ellers, Church, Pearsall, Philbrick.

TO PLAY FOR JUNIOR TITLE.

Richards Expected to Defend Honors in National Indoor Tourney.

Play for the junior indoor tennis championship of the United States will begin at the Seventh Regiment Armory on Monday, Dec. 27, according to an announcement yesterday. The championship is at present held by Vincent Richards, who is expected to defend his title for the last time in the forthcoming tournament. This will be the last year that Richards will be eligible to junior honors, as he will be beyond the age limit in another year.

This will be the sixth annual holding of the national junior indoor tourney. Entries will close Dec. 23 and the armory will be open for practice on two days preceding the opening round, on Monday morning, the 20th, and Wednesday afternoon, the 22d. W. Dixon Cunningham, President of the Seventh Regiment Tennis Association, will be the referee of the tournament.

Richards has not only held the national junior indoor singles title for the last two years, but won the doubles honors last year with Frank T. Anderson. Anderson is no longer eligible for junior honors, so that Richards will be obliged this year to seek another doubles partner.

Missouri Elects Blume Captain.

COLUMBIA, Mo., Dec. 9.—Herbert Blume of Webster Groves, Mo., has been elected Captain of the Missouri University 1921 football team. He was a tackle on the team for the last two years, but was kept out of the lineup the latter part of this season because of a broken leg.

George Gipp Growing Weaker.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Dec. 9.—George Gipp, Notre Dame star football player, was reported as growing weaker and in a sinking condition today. A report said he was gradually succumbing to streptoccic throat disease.

A. A. U. COMMITTEES NAMED BY RUBIEN

Officials Appointed to Supervise Sports Controlled by Metropolitan Association.

Announcement of the various committees appointed by President Frederick W. Rubien of the Metropolitan A. A. U. to supervise the conduct of the various sports governed by the local association, was made yesterday at A. A. U. headquarters. In the list of appointments are twenty-one committees, the majority of whose members are reappointed. Justice Bartow S. Weeks, former National A. A. U. President, and a member of the International Olympic Committee, is re-appointed as Chairman of the Law and Legislation Committee, which includes Murray Hulbert, Jeremiah T. Mahoney, George W. Wingate, Warren Fielding, P. J. Walsh, Jacob W. Stumpf, Herman Obertubbesing and George P. Mathews. Justice Weeks is also a member of the Senior Track and Field Championship Committee, of which George P. Mathews, local handicapper, is Chairman.

Charles A. Elbert, Secretary of the local association, has been appointed to head two committees. Secretary Elbert is chairman of both the Club Investigation and the New Jersey District Championship bodies. Val Dysert, of the Millrose A. A., is Chairman of the Industrial Committee, a body installed for the purpose of stimulating interest in competitive athletics and supervising activities among the employes in the various industries in the district. F. Metz, Lester C. Stevens, George Mathews, Homer Baker, G. T. Hepbron, J. Traylor, L. C. Brown and Harold A. Sonn are the other members of this committee.

The complete list of committees appointed by President Rubien follows:

Law and Legislation—Bartow S. Weeks, Chairman; Murray Hulbert, J. T. Mahoney, George W. Wingate, W. Fielding, P. J. Walsh, J. W. Stumpf, H. Obertubbesing, G. P. Mathews.

Senior Track and Field—G. P. Mathews, Chairman; Bartow S. Weeks, D. J. Ferris, A. V. Arnold, H. Obertubbesing, R. W. Kennedy, A. McGall, J. McInerney, H. Dibblee, Gerald Norman, R. Remer, M. P. Halpin, M. A. Klein, T. J. Sullivan, L. C. Stevens, T. Matukes, C. H. Vernon, Carl Johnsen, J. Anderson.

Junior Track and Field—John Deignan, Chairman; R. W. Kennedy, C. A. S. Hatfield, Joseph A. Duffy, W. Chambers, E. W. Kinsley, T. Lockhart, J. T. Mahoney, F. G. Hosmer, J. W. Stumpf, J. R. Fritts, K. E. Hearns, H. R. Newcome, H. E. Hirshon, W. Goll, R. F. Morse, Warren Fielding, J. F. O'Brien.

Record—M. A. Klein, Chairman; Otto Wahle, G. P. Mathews, J. J. McHugh, H. Obertubbesing, A. V. Arnold, A. McGall, E. W. Kinsley, A. Hulsebosch, H. Appel, A. Sivori.

Senior Cross-Country—J. J. McHugh, Chairman; M. J. Sliver, T. J. Sullivan, W. A. Giblin, E. Carr, J. O'Meara, H. Newcome, M. A. Klein, W. J. Kramer, J. J. Lagas, F. J. Manley.

Junior Cross-Country—Steve Byrnes, Chairman; R. W. Kennedy, B. Gadney, T. Lockhart; G. L. Bergen, A. W. Feher, C. J. Schlobohm, J. Erb, J. O. Sullivan, J. Traylor, M. Silver, J. J. Hewes, J. Byrne, J. J. King, J. L. McCahill.

Wrestling—J. Leahy, Chairman; G. Mehnert, F. Francis, H. Meyehs, C. H. Nelson, T. Tengwall, T. Matsukes, O. D. Johnson, J. W. Stumpf, M. A. Klein, J. P. Boyle, F. Englund, John Hackman.

Swimming—A. Sivori, Chairman; Otto Wahle, C. A. S. Hatfield, Charlotte Epstein, H. Latz, E. E. Williams, J. Reilly, Mrs. A. T. Muhlenberg, A. D. Lyons, L. Dalton, Al Downs, H. Meyers, J. Ruddy, W. Schaufele, E. Carr, Mrs. J. Cowley.

Indoor Championships—H. Obertubbesing, Chairman; T. Matsukes, E. P. Boylan, Val Dysert, J. C. Neely, R. S. O. Lawson, W. H. Goll, J. J. Deignan, Carl Johnson, George Mathews, R. J. Walsh, R. W. Kennedy, J. R. Fritts, Joseph A. Reilly, Steve Byrnes, W. Fielding.

Handball—John Brademeill, Chairman; Hanley, A. V. Arnold, Harry Meyers, J. J. Diegnan, T. J. Sullivan, C. A. Elbert, W. Fielding, J. G. Hardmeyer, J. Gleason, H. J. Van Kon.

Playgrounds, Brooklyn and Queens—J. J. Downing, Chairman; S. A. Byrne, J. J. McAuley, R. W. Kennedy, M. A. Klein, E. Boylan, G. P. Mathews, A. Aro, M. Flynn, J. O'Sullivan.

Club Investigation—C. A. Elbert, Chairman; Thomas Hunt, B. Dineen, R. P. White, W. Gowrie.

Industrial—Val Dysert, Chairman; F. Metz, Lester Stevens, George F. Mathews, Homer Baker, G. T. Hepbron, J. Traylor, L. C. Brown, Harold A. Sonn.

Playgrounds, Manhattan—W. J. Lee, Chairman; J. P. Boyle, Murray Hulbert, C. H. Warner, W. H. Goll, J. J. McHugh, J. T. Mahoney.

Playgrounds, Bronx—M. J. Silver, Chairman; A. V. Arnold, J. H. Kehrken, G. I. Bergen, J. McInerney, K. E. Hearns.

Basketball—C. Carry, Chairman; C. H. Warner G. Mehnert, G. T. Heperon, E. C. Gibney, A. Popis, G. L. Bergen, R. S. O. Lawson, A. C. Gorhan, P. C. Moffat, G. W. Lattimore, A. Smyth, C. Elbert, R. J. Rawlens, H. R. Langdon, N. C. Good, Joseph Quinn, I. Sofferman, C. Muller.

Playgrounds, New Jersey—T. A. Cassidy, Chairman; W. Chambers, G. T. Hepbron, E. R. Regan, W. E. Cann, A. G. Bagley, A. McGall, R. Williams, J. Erb.

Tug of War—Th. Tengwall, Chairman; O. D. Johnson, F. Francis, C. H. Nelson, J. Wink.

New Jersey District Championships—C. A. Elbert, Chairman; E. R. Regan, W. Chambers, W. E. Conn, L. C. Stevens, G. Mehnert, W. A. Giblin, R. P. White, F. Metz, J. Erb, C. H. Nelson, T. A. Cassidy, A. McGall, G. T. Hepbron, A. J. Bagley, H. A. Cooper, J. J. Schnelderman, L. Kiralnger, C. Johnson.

Boxing—J. P. Boyle, Chairman; John J. Walsh, B. Levine, J. W. Stumpf, W. E. Cann, M. A. Klein, J. T. Mahoney, G. Mehnert, C. A. Hulsebosch, N. Oak, S. A. Byrne, C. A. Elbert, T. A. Cassidy, J. J. Deignan, H. Obertubbesing, J. Flanagan, John J. McCormack.

Gymnastic—Roy S. Moore, Chairman; C. A. Elbert, G. Mehnert, M. A. Klein, F. Metz, A. G. Bagley, B. Jorgensen, J. W. Stumpf, B. Laznovsky.

MOTORBOATS ON DISPLAY.

Eighteenth Annual Show Opens at Grand Central Palace Tonight.

All is in readiness for the opening of the motorboat and engine show in the Grand Central Palace tonight at 8 o'clock. It will be the eighteenth annual event held under the auspices of the National Association of Engine and Boat Manufacturers and, judging from the scope of the exhibits, numerically and otherwise, it will be the largest affair of its kind ever held in this country. The craft range in length from ten to sixty feet, and motors weighing from far less than 100 pounds to more than fifteen tons are all in place, ready for the official opening. Mechanics have been at work for twenty-four hours without a halt getting the exhibition in readiness for the critical observers who always visit this show.

The show will continue until Saturday, Dec. 18, and will be open each day from 11.30 o'clock in the morning until the same hour at night, Sunday excepted. This year the decorations of the Palace are quite different from previous attempts in that direction. The great columns, the walls and ceilings of the two floors occupied by the show will be hidden. "Americanization" is the theme of decoration, and thousands of American flags, ensigns and the club burgees of American motorboat and yacht clubs are used to attain the desired decorative effect. It is a great mass of red, white and blue, all the way from the front entrance to the uppermost and most remote corner of the space occupied.

The show starts much earlier this year than ever before, and it is generally believed this map prove a wise action on the part of those responsible for the innovation. Weather conditions have been such as to enable the exhibitors to get their exhibits here without trouble, whereas in previous years numerous exhibits were held up by snowstorms and, in some cases, never did arrive.

One of this year's exhibitors brought a twenty-foot boat from an up-State town on a "flivver" truck and encountered no obstacles other than light snow up State. Several power craft arrived in this city from distant points under their own power and, reaching here, were lifted out of the water and conveyed to the

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FINANCIAL MARKETS

Stocks Go Lower, With Industrials Especially Weak—Sharp Decline in Silver.

While prices on some of yesterday's markets continued to move uncertainly, the financial tendencies of the day were sharply emphasized in the silver market and on the Stock Exchange. The fall in silver bullion was spectacular. One day's decline of 3¼ pence per ounce at London is not unprecedented in this period of violent rise or fall in price; during the great decline of June it fell 5⅞ pence in one day and 6 in another. But yesterday's decline, which makes a total decline of 9⅜ pence in less than a fortnight, has not only occurred when prices were below those of last June, but when our own Treasury's purchases at an artificial price of all the American product offered have been continuing. What the present movement signifies as to conditions in the Far East can readily enough be conjectured; but it is also part of the amazingly rapid readjustment into which the entire economic world seems to have plunged.

The day's stock market, in which the heavy pressure again converged on the industrial shares, was plainly under the influence of Wall Street's ideas regarding the condition of producing companies and their prospects as to dividends. Two or three more of these companies, including one motor concern, announced yesterday either a cut in dividends or the making of current payments in stock, and this had its natural effect on sentiment. Perhaps it is useless to remind Wall Street that such a sequel to what has already occurred in the field of trade and prices was inevitable, except in the case of companies whose past fiscal policy has been extremely prudent. The inference drawn by the speculative community, that we have not yet wholly completed the reckoning for the extravagances of many company managers in last year's period of delusion, is no doubt correct. But in Wall Street's present mood, it is easy to exaggerate the facts.

Taken as a whole, the foreign exchange market was gratifyingly steady; recovering later from its early declines, and probably moving in accord with the longer money market outlook. The very great weakness of exchange on Greece was easy to understand; that at least has to do with political causes. Nobody can predict exactly what situation or what international relations will follow the return of Constantine.

There was considerable matter for interest in yesterday's weekly foreign bank statements. The Bank of England cut down its loans far enough to raise its ratio of reserve against deposits from last week's 7⅛ per cent., the low level of this generation, to 9⅝ per cent. Even so, the percentage remains at an almost unprecedentedly low figure, and the weekly statements between now and the new year will be watched with interest. It is perfectly true that the Bank of England's percentage cannot be justly compared with that of our Federal Reserve; for the London bank practically holds gold dollar for dollar against outstanding notes, and reckons its reserve ratio only by the proportion of the additional cash in the banking department to the gross deposits, whereas the Federal Reserve's 44½ percentage is the ratio of total cash holdings to deposits and notes combined. If the English bank's ratio were computed thus, it would be 45¾ per cent., not 9⅝. But that does not change the fact that a 40 per cent. ratio of the London institution's banking reserve to its banking deposits is the old time minimum.

The Bank of France reported 653,000,000 francs reduction in outstanding notes for the past week; which makes a total contraction of 1,722,000,000 francs in the paper currency since Nov. 3, and brings the remaining total within 200,000,000 francs of the total reported at the end of 1919. This achievement, the outcome of the new French popular loan, contrasts with the movement at the Bank of Germany; whose reduction of a thousand million marks in the paper circulation, reported in November, was followed in this week's statement by a fresh expansion of 1,690,000,000 to the highest recorded total.

MONEY.

THURSDAY, DEC. 9.

Money on call on the Stock Exchange ruled at 7 per cent. all day Thursday. For time money, the quotation made again yesterday was 7½ per cent. bid, on both grades and for all dates, unchanged over Wednesday's quotation. Lenders were offering funds at 7¾ per cent., at which rate most renewals were made. Prime merchants' paper still discounts at 7¾ per cent., with 8 per cent. on other names. Interior institutions are doing the bulk of the business in this market.

Call Loans.

Renewal.	High.	Low.	Wednesday's Last.	Last
7	7	7	7	7

Time Loans.

Mixed collateral, 60 to 90 days.....7¼ bid
4, 5 and 6 months.....7¼
All industrial collateral, 60-90 days, 4, 5 and 6 months.....7½ bid

Commercial Paper.

Best names, 3 to 6 months.....7¾@8
Other names, 3 to 6 months.....8 @8¼

Discount Rates, Federal Reserve Bank.

Commercial paper, 15 days, 7; 16 to 90 days 8
Liberty bonds and Victory notes, 15 days, 6; 16 to 90 days.....6
Bankers' acceptances, 15 to 90 days..6

Open Market Rates.

Prime eligible acceptances, on call....6
Eligible for rediscount with Reserve Bank, 60 to 90 days.....6¼@6¾
Non-member and private bankers, eligible, 60 to 90 days.....6¾@6¼
Not eligible, 60 to 90 days.....8 @7½

London Market.

Money on London market Thursday unchanged at 4¾ per cent.; short bills, 6½@6⅝ per cent.; three months' bills up 1-16d at 6 11-16d. Gold bullion on the opening London market was up 5d at 119s per fine ounce. Mint parity, 85s.

Clearing House Exchanges.

Thursday's exchange of checks at the New York Clearing House, $682,487,375; balances, $60,751,203; Federal Reserve Bank's credit balance, $53,079,153. Exchanges for the same day a year ago, $887,472,195.

SILVER BULLION.

Bar silver in London 3¾d lower at 39¾d per ounce. New York prices for bar silver unchanged at 99½c per ounce, the Mint price; foreign silver, 5¼c lower at 60⅝c.

Range of prices for silver bullion this month:

	Highest.		Lowest.	
London	44¾d	Dec. 3	39¾d	Dec. 9
New York	70c	Dec. 3	60⅝c	Dec. 9

Range for the present year to date:

London	89¼d	Feb. 11	39¾d	Dec. 9
New York	$1.37	Jan. 11	60⅝c	Dec. 9

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Rates on Europe Again Irregular —Early Weakness With Subsequent Recovery.

Exchange on all European markets declined sharply in the early hours yesterday, but recovered at the last, with sterling closing at a net gain of ½ cent, but francs and lire at a loss. Greek exchange was conspicuously weak, falling ⅜ cent to 7 cents per drachma, a loss of 1¼ cent for the week, and being described by bankers as almost unsalable.

THURSDAY, DEC. 9, 1920.
Range of Rates, Night Exchange.

	High.	Low.	Final.	Wed'day's Final.
LONDON	$3.44½	$3.43¾	$3.44½	$3.44
PARIS	5.87¾	5.86	5.87¾	5.89¼
ROME	3.52	3.50½	3.51	3.53
AMSTERDAM	39.45	39.37	39.40	39.40
BERLIN	1.36½	1.32	1.36½	1.35
MADRID	12.80	12.70	12.80	12.66

CLOSING RATES.

Parity of exchange is given as reported by the United States Mint, except in countries with a silver standard, where parity fluctuates with the price of silver.

Europe.	Thursday.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
STERLING—Par $4.86⅔ per sovereign.			
Demand	3.44½	3.48¾	3.67½
Cables	3.45¼	3.48¾	3.68
Com., 60 days	3.39¼	3.43¾	3.62
Com., 90 days	3.37¼	3.41	3.60
FRANCE—Par 19.3 cents per franc.			
Demand	5.87¾	6.06½	8.50
Cables	5.88½	6.07¼	8.52
ITALY—Par 19.3 cents per lira.			
Demand	3.51	3.65	7.38
Cables	3.52	3.66	7.40
BELGIUM—Par 19.3 cents per franc.			
Demand	6.20	6.42½	8.85
Cables	6.21	3.66	7.40
GERMANY—Par 23.8 cents per mark.			
Demand	1.36½	1.44	2.05
Cables	1.37	1.44½	2.06
AUSTRIA—Par 20.3 cents per crown.			
Demand	.31½	.32½	.70
Cables	.32	.33	.72
CZECHOSLOVAKIA—Par 20.3 cents per crown.			
Demand	1.15	1.23	2.00
Cables	1.17	1.25	2.02
DENMARK—Par 26.8 cents per krone.			
Demand	14.85	13.75	17.65
Cables	14.70	13.80	17.75
FINLAND—Par 19.3 cents per finmark.			
Demand	2.30	2.05	2.95
Cables	2.35	2.10	3.00
GREECE—Par 19.3 cents per drachma.			
Demand	7.00	8.30	15.65
Cables	7.05	8.35	15.73

Europe.	Thursday.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
HOLLAND—Par 40.2 cents per florin.			
Demand	.30.40	30.45	37.375
Cables	.30.50	30.55	37.50
HUNGARY—Par 20.3 cents per crown.			
Demand	.21	.22	....
Cables	.22	.24	....
YUGOSLAVIA—Par 20.3 cents per crown.			
Demand	.75	.80	.93
Cables	.76	.81	.95
NORWAY—Par 26.8 cents per krone.			
Demand	.14.60	13.75	19.35
Cables	.14.65	13.80	19.50
POLAND—Par 23.8 cents per mark.			
Demand	.1.1⅛	.10	1.25
Cables	.18	.19½	1.27
RUMANIA—Par 19.3 cents per leu.			
Demand	1.38	1.40	3.40
Cables	1.40	1.50	3.45
SERBIA: Belgrade—Par 19.3 cents per franc.			
Demand	3.00	3.20	5.00
Cables	3.05	3.25	5.05
SPAIN—Par 19.3 cents per peseta.			
Demand	12.80	13.05	19.90
Cables	12.82	13.07	20.05
SWEDEN—Par 26.8 cents per krone.			
Demand	19.25	19.30	21.60
Cables	19.30	19.35	21.75
SWITZERLAND—Par 19.3 cents per franc.			
Demand	15.47	15.64	19.04
Cables	15.50	15.67	19.12
Far East.			
CHINA—Cents per silver dollar for Hongkong; per tael for Shanghai and Peking.			
Hongkong, demand	55.00	60.75	101.00

Far East.	Thursday.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
Hongkong, cables	55.00	60.85	101.50
Peking, demand	70.00	80.00	171.00
Shanghai, demand	72.50	79.50	150.00
Shanghai, cables	73.00	80.00	150.50
INDIA—Calcutta: Cents per rupee, stabilized at one-tenth of a pound sterling.			
Demand	26.00	28.50	45.00
Cables	26.50	28.75	46.25
PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—Manila: Par 50 cents per silver peso.			
Demand	45.50	46.25	49.00
Cables	46.00	46.50	49.25
JAVA—Par 40.2 cents per florin.			
Demand	31.50	32.50	....
JAPAN—Par 49.8 cents per yen.			
Demand	50.375	50.375	50.50
Cables	50.625	50.625	50.75
South America.			
ARGENTINA—Par 42.44c per Arg. paper dol.			
Demand	35.375	34.50	43.15
Cables	35.50	34.625	43.25
BRAZIL—Par 32.45 cents per paper milreis.			
Demand	16.00	16.25	28.125
Cables	16.125	16.375	28.25
Canada.			
MONTREAL—Par 100c per Canadian dollar.			
Demand	86.8	87.8	94.1
Russian Currency.			

Prices for pre-revolution Russian ruble notes were as follows: Par 51.40 cents per ruble:

	Bid.	Asked.
100 ruble notes, per ruble	.75	.85
500 ruble notes, per ruble	.65	.75

TOPICS IN WALL STREET.

Discussing the New England Roads.

Considerable importance was attached to the meeting of New England Railroad Presidents in the board room of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad in the Grand Central Terminal yesterday. While no official statement was made, it is understood that the chief subject discussed was the recent application of the New England roads for a division with trunk line railroads of through freight revenues. This application, which was made before the Interstate Commerce Commission some time ago, was offered as a means to provide the Down East carriers with additional revenues which would keep them out of the hands of receivers. That some of the trunk line roads would be willing to split such revenues because high terminal charges would not be applicable to such business has been evident, but there is some question as to whether enough additional revenue could be provided to meet the present emergency. The Interstate Commerce Commission on Dec. 16 will hear the results of conferences between the New England railroad heads themselves and between them and some of the trunk line heads.

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Some Surprising Statistics.

Interesting statistics regarding the yeast industry in this country were revealed in connection with the recent offering and sale of $4,000,000 notes of the Fleischmann Company. Bread was first baked in the Stone Age and yeast is an essential ingredient in modern bread. How widespread the use of yeast in the United States has become is indicated in the fact that while the finished product sells for approximately 2 cents a cake, the gross business of the company is at the rate of $32,000,000 a year. The product is supplied direct to 35,000 hotels, commercial bakeries and public institutions and approximately 175,000 groceries, and this distribution is made through some 900 agencies.

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Traffic Decline Seasonal.

Recent indications that the volume of traffic being handled by the railroads of the country is falling off have caused little surprise to operators, for the reason that a normal slump is expected from November to March each Winter. At the same time it is realized that there has been some holding back of various shipments which may be made during the normally slack season. How much of an effect this will have is dubious, as a large volume of grain which is supposed to have been held back by farmers for a higher price than that now prevailing in the market is known to have been moved already.

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New Railroad Financing.

The question of new railroad financing, while pressing as far as some of the carriers are concerned, is one that it will take some time to solve, in the opinion of railroad bankers. At least until the accumulation of new industrial and public utility financing has been disposed of it is not thought that the roads will come into the market in competition with companies which are offering their securities at high rates. With the return on aggregate value of their properties set at 6 per cent. and half of everything earned above that figure by the Transportation act, bankers expect to see the majority of new railroad financing withheld until the industrial and other high rate issues are absorbed. It is said there may be no real market for new rail offerings until a definite basis is established upon which the earnings of the roads rest. This, of course, depends upon the settlement of the Intrastate-Interstate rate dispute settlement. When such a settlement will be effected is a matter of conjecture.

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Equipment Orders.

There is considerable interest as to what the turn of the year will mean to the equipment companies. It has been predicted that early in 1921 there would be a sharp recovery in equipment buying. This forecast probably arose from the fact that the Spring would be the natural time for the railroads to place orders so that the equipment would be ready for the heavier traffic of the Fall months. The wait that has taken place in the handing out of orders has undoubtedly saved the railroads large amounts of money since prices for iron and steel have been falling. It remains to be seen, however, whether the reductions are such as to invite equipment buying on a large scale or whether the railroads will confine their purchasing to the absolute necessities. It was learned yesterday that the Missouri Pacific Railroad had placed an order with the American Locomotive Company for twenty-five locomotives, this being in addition to an order for twenty-five Mikados placed about two weeks ago. Orders for about twenty-five locomotives have also been placed by South America.

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American Agricultural Chemical.

So far as the American Agricultural Chemical common dividend was concerned the Street in its predictions was a bit astray. It had been anticipated that the dividend would be cut, the stock appearing to forecast, by its decline, some such action. What actually took place was this: The Directors announced a 2 per cent. quarterly dividend on the common stock payable in common stock. So far as percentage goes the dividend has the sound of previous disbursements but with this difference that heretofore the 2 per cent. has been payable in cash. And when it is remembered that the stock closed last night at about 53 it will be seen that the dividend might be considered as a reduction. The regular quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent. on the preferred stock was also declared. Both dividends are payable Jan. 15 to stock of record Dec. 20.

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More Rumors.

The decline of prices in the stock market the last few days has given rise to another flock of disconcerting rumors. They are as vague as ever, hinting in a guarded way at some underlying factor which is decidedly off balance. Just what it is no one says and probably no one knows. It may be that there are some difficulties which remain to be straightened out, but it is safe to assume that whatever may be the facts the forebodings are exaggerated. It is ever thus in Wall Street.

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Money Still Firm.

Call and time funds continue to command the rates which have obtained for the last week, and while the supply, especially that for Stock Exchange demand loans, seems to be more than equal to the demand, there is no noticeable tendency to force the money out. Certainly the banks are not displaying any willingness to cut the rate, and with the interior banks finding about all the employment they can accommodate at home the local money market is not likely to show any easing until the local banking situation warrants it. Yesterday, most bankers felt, the prospects were for greater tightness before any easing, and in most quarters the belief was entertained that next week would see an even smaller supply and possibly some higher rates than are now in evidence.

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"Tax Selling."

"Tax selling" of bonds and other securities continues to be much lighter than most bankers had expected and considerably lighter than the selling of a year ago. One reason for this is that bondholders have not the losses to take advantage of now that they had in 1919, and another is that bonds are supposed to be better placed than they were a year ago. Then, too, when selling does appear it is much more quickly snapped up than was the case in the Fall of 1919. The demand now is so good, according to most of the investment people, that whatever selling there may be from individual and corporate sources is not equal to the requirements of brokers with buying orders, hence the considerable successes of the new offerings.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS.

THURSDAY, DEC. 9, 1920.

Day's Sales.	Wednesday.	Tuesday.	A Year Ago.	Two Years Ago.
969,392	841,813	728,311	928,223	388,785

Year to Date.	Same Period 1919.	1918.	1917.
206,502,604½	297,444,563	135,642,673	176,783,602

Closing Bid.	Closing Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Chge.
26	28	200	Adams Express	28	28	28	28	+1
15½	15¾	400	Advance Rumely	15½	15⅝	15½	15⅝	+ ⅛
28	29½	1,500	Ajax Rubber	31	31	28	28	−2
1⅛	1¼	1,500	Alaska Gold Mines	1⅛	1¼	1⅛	1⅛	...
1⅛	1¼	1,500	Alaska Juneau	1⅛	1¼	1⅛	1¼	...
47⅜	48	2,400	Allied C. & I., w. i.	49½	49½	47¾	47¾	−2¼
86	88	100	Allied C. & D.pf.,w.i.	87	87	87	87	−1
30	30¼	2,200	Allis-Chalmers Mfg.	30¼	30½	30	30	−½
71	74	400	Allis-Chal. Mfg. pf.	73	73	72¾	72½	−1⅝
53½	53¾	4,000	Am. Agri. Chem.	55¼	56⅜	52	53⅝	−1½
79½	80	300	Am. Agri. Chem. pf.	80½	80½	80	80	−⅞
43	46	400	Am. Bank Note	44	44	44	44	−½
52½	53	400	Am. Beet Sugar	53	53	52	52¾	−¼
62¾	62½	3,200	Am. Bosch Magneto	61⅜	62⅜	60	62⅜	...
24⅝	25	2,100	Am. Can	25½	25½	24¾	25	−½
79	79½	2,700	Am. Can pf.	79⅜	79⅝	79	79¼	−⅝
124¾	125½	4,500	Am. Car & Fy.	125¼	125¼	124	125	−⅝
17½	17⅞	700	Am. Cotton Oil	18⅛	18⅛	17⅞	17⅞	−⅛
60	68	100	Am. Cotton Oil pf.	63½	63½	63½	63½	−1½
7¼	7½	4,300	Am. Drug. Syn.	7⅝	7⅝	7	7⅛	−⅜
115	121	400	Am. Express	117½	117½	117¼	117¼	−¾
47	47¼	300	Am. Hide & L. pf.	47½	47½	47¼	47¼	−1
41¼	44	300	Am. Ice	41¾	42	41¾	42	+½
40	40¼	4,100	Am. International	40⅜	40⅜	39¾	40	−⅛
9¼	9⅜	300	Am. LaF. Fire Eng.	9¼	9¼	9¼	9¼	−⅛
55¼	56	400	Am. Linseed	55	55¾	55	55¾	−1¼
83	83½	3,300	Am. Locomotive	84¼	84¾	82½	83	−1½
9	9⅜	1,500	Am. Safety Razor	9⅜	9⅜	9	9	−⅜
...	...	5,700	Am. Ship & Com.	9½	9⅝	9½	9⅝	+ ⅛
43¼	43⅝	3,900	Am. Smelt. & Ref.	44½	44½	43¾	43½	−⅛
85¼	86¼	100	Am. Smelt. & R. pf.	86	86	86	86	+ ⅛
33	33¼	1,000	Am. Steel Fy.	33⅜	33⅝	33	33	−⅜
83	84½	100	Am. Steel Fy. pf.	83	83	83	83	−1
90½	90⅝	5,300	Am. Sugar Ref.	91	91	89⅝	90½	−⅛
...	...	100	Am. Sugar Ref. pf.	101	101	101	101	...
69½	70	2,600	Am. Sumatra Tob.	70⅝	70⅝	69	69	−2
84	85	100	Am. Sumatra T. pf.	84	84	84	84	−1
98½	98¾	1,200	Am. Tel. & Tel.	98½	98⅝	98½	98½	−1⅛
116	116	300	Am. Tobacco	115¾	116	115⅜	115⅜	−⅛
112	113	400	Am. Tob., Class B	112½	112½	112	112	−1
70¾	70⅝	8,300	Am. Woolen	71½	71½	69½	70¼	−1⅝
36⅝	37	300	Am. Writ. Paper pf.	36⅜	36½	36½	36½	+ ¼
7	7¼	1,600	Am. Zinc, L. & S.	7	7¼	6⅞	7¼	+ ¼
25½	29	800	Am. Zinc, L. & S.pf.	26⅝	27	25½	27	...
38½	38⅝	4,400	Anaconda Copper	38½	38⅝	38⅝	38⅝	−⅛
2⅜	3	200	Assets Realization	2⅞	2⅞	2¾	2¾	...
20½	21	1,500	Asso. Dry Goods	21	21	20¼	21	−½
52	54	100	Asso. Dry G. 1st pf.	53	53	53	53	−1½
82¼	82½	3,600	Atch., T. & S. F.	82⅝	82⅞	82¼	82¼	−⅝
75	75⅝	700	Atch., T. & S. F. pf.	75⅝	75⅝	75	75	−¼
5⅝	6¼	600	Atlanta, Birm. & At.	6	6½	6	6	−⅛
87	88	500	Atlantic Coast Line	87	87½	86¼	87½	−½
9¼	10	1,100	Atlantic Fruit	9¾	9⅞	9¼	9¼	−⅛
108¼	109	7,200	Atlantic, G. & W. I.	108½	109½	107¼	108½	−2
18	18½	400	Atlas Tack	18⅜	18⅝	17⅞	17⅞	−1⅝
12	13	300	Austin Nichols	12½	12½	12½	12½	−½
9½	15	100	Auto Sales pf.	10	10	10	10	−½
91½	91¾	30,300	Baldwin Locomo.	94	94	90¾	91⅜	−2¾
...	...	200	Baldwin Locomo. pf.	94½	94½	94½	94½	−½
36	36¼	4,300	Baltimore & Ohio.	37	37	35⅞	36¼	−¾
49	49½	1,200	Balt. & Ohio pf.	49½	49½	49	49	−¾
30	36	200	Barnsdall, Class A.	36	36	36	36	...
30	40	100	Do, Class B	36	36	36	36	...
...	...	200	Barrett Co.	115	115	115	115	−4½
109	111	1,100	Do, Ch. Con.c.of d	115½	115½	110½	110½	−7½
100½	104	100	Do pf., Cr.C.c.of d	102	102	102	102	...
¾	1	500	Batopilas Mining	¾	¾	¾	¾	...
2⅝	2¾	600	Bethlehem Motors	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾	...
53	53½	200	Bethlehem Steel	53	53	53	53	+⅝
53	53½	7,600	Do, Class B	53⅝	53⅝	52⅝	53¼	−1
¾	4	500	Booth Fisheries	3⅞	3⅞	3¾	3¾	−⅛
10	10⅝	900	B'klyn Rapid Tran.	10¼	10⅝	10	10	−⅛
6½	7	500	Do ctfs. of dep.	6½	6½	6⅜	6⅜	−⅛
53	58	100	B'klyn Union Gas	55	55	53	55	...
4½	5	200	Bruns. Ter. & R. S.	4½	4½	4½	4½	−¾
84	84¼	400	Burns Brothers	84½	84½	84	84	−1½
5	5⅛	800	Butte Cop. & Zinc	5	5⅛	5	5⅛	...
...	...	1,600	Butte & Superior	10¼	10⅜	9¾	10	−½
10	11	200	Butterick Co.	10½	10½	10½	10½	...
14½	15	500	Caddo Cent. O. & R.	15	15	14⅝	14⅝	−⅝
61½	62	600	California Packing	62	62	61½	62	−1
21½	22¼	1,000	Cal. Petroleum	22¼	22¼	21½	21¾	−1
113¾	113⅞	2,800	Canadian Pacific	115½	115½	113	113⅞	−1⅝
6½	7	100	Case (J. I.) Plow	6½	6½	6½	6½	−¾
80	82	100	Do pf.	83	83	83	83	...
38	38½	2,100	Central Leather Co.	38⅝	38⅞	38	38	−⅝
25¼	25½	2,500	Cerro de Pasco Cop.	26	26	25	25½	−1
74½	75	10,600	Chandler Motor	75½	75½	73⅝	74⅜	−1½
61½	62	3,200	Chesapeake & Ohio	62⅝	62⅝	61½	62	−½
8	9	100	Chicago & Alton	8½	8½	8½	8½	−⅛
7½	7⅝	1,200	Chi. Gt. Western	7⅞	7⅞	7½	7½	−¾
17⅝	18	2,100	Do pf.	18¼	18½	17⅞	18	...
30	30½	2,600	Chi., Mil. & St. P.	30¼	30⅝	30	30¼	−¼
48½	48⅝	1,600	Do pf.	49¼	49¼	48½	48½	−1½
72	72½	3,500	Chicago & N. W.	73⅝	73⅝	71	72	−2
107	111	100	Do pf.	110½	110½	110½	110¼	+¾
67½	68	2,900	Chi. Pneu. Tool	67⅝	67⅝	67⅝	67⅝	−2
28½	28⅝	4,400	Chi., R. I. & Pac.	29¼	29¼	28½	28⅝	−⅝
76¼	77½	600	Do 7% pf.	77	77	76½	77	...
66	66½	900	Do 6% pf.	66	66	65½	66½	−¾
8⅝	8⅞	12,900	Chile Copper	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	−⅛
18⅝	18¾	2,600	Chino Copper	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	+⅛
64	65	100	C., C. C. & St. L. pf.	65½	65½	65½	65½	−½
50¼	51½	1,300	Cluett, Peabody	51⅜	51⅝	50	50	−2
80	87½	300	Do pf.	87⅜	87⅝	87	87	−1
21⅜	22	1,800	Coca-Cola	22	22	21½	21⅞	−⅛
29¼	29⅝	100	Col. Fuel & Iron	29½	29½	29½	29½	−½
28	29	600	Colorado Southern	28⅝	28⅝	28	28	−⅛
55¾	55½	700	Colum. Gas & Elec.	55⅝	55⅝	53	55½	−1¼
12¾	12¾	4,600	Columbia Grapho.	12⅝	13	12⅝	12⅝	...
37¾	38	300	Comput. Tab. Rec.	38	38	38	38	−1⅜
75	76	100	Con. Cigar pf.	75½	75½	75½	75½	+½
79	80	300	Con. Gas.	79½	79½	79	79	−1⅜
7	7¼	600	Con. Int. Cal. Min.	7	7¼	7	7¼	+¼
19	19¾	200	Con. Textile	19¼	19¾	19¼	19¾	+¼
62	62¼	500	Continental Can	62½	62½	62	62	−½
5⅝	5¾	800	Continental Candy	5½	5½	5¼	5¼	−⅜
66	66¼	19,000	Corn Prod. Refin.	67⅝	68	65	66⅞	−2⅛
98	98¼	900	Corn Prod. Ref. pf.	99½	99½	98¼	98¼	−1¼
30½	30¾	2,400	Cosden & Co.	31	31	30½	30½	−⅞
89¼	90	16,400	Crucible Steel	90¾	90¾	88	89½	−1⅝
85¼	86	300	Crucible Steel pf.	85½	85½	85¾	85¾	+⅝
21⅝	22¼	3,200	Cuba Cane Sugar	23	23	21⅝	21⅝	−1⅛
67	67½	800	Cuba Cane Sug. pf.	67½	67⅝	67½	67½	...
30¼	30⅝	500	Cuban Am. Sugar	30½	31	30½	30⅝	−⅛
30	32	400	Davison Chemical	30½	30½	30	30	−½
210	220	300	Del., Lack. & West	215	215½	214½	214½	−⅞
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TO SET OIL MEETING SOON.

New Pacific Company to Announce Plans for Organization.

It is understood, authoritatively in the financial district that formal announcement of the date of the organization meeting of the Pacific Oil Company, the new concern which will take over Southern Pacific Oil properties in California, will be made some time next week.

Directors of the new company, among whom are James Alexander, B. D. Caldwell, Henry W. DeForest, Charles A. Peabody, Samuel Rea and Mortimer L. Schiff, are understood to have been working on organization plans during this week, and that final details probably will be settled sooner than had been expected.

That Paul Shoup, President of the Associated Oil Company, control of which will be vested in Pacific Oil when the separation of Southern Pacific oil and railroad properties is finally accomplished, has been suggested to head the new concern, has been rumored in conservative quarters while others mentioned have been E. P. Swenson and Julius Kruttschnitt. That Mr. Kruttschnitt, who is Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Southern Pacific Company, will probably not be the choice of the board because of his activities in the railroad field, is the majority opinion.

Speculation continues as to what the development plans of the new management will be, and opinion regarding the Pacific Oil Company's immediate operations is divided. It is evident that the $5,000,000 cash which the new company will have in its treasury as working capital will not go a great way in developing the remaining three-quarters of the oil acreage owned. Because of this it has been suggested that some of the property will be leased to other big California producers who may drill wells on a production sharing basis. That some of the lands may be sold outright also is presented as a possibility.

Among other rumors which have circulated through the financial district since the segregation plan of the Southern Pacific Company was announced, is one to the effect that some of the convertible bondholders do not like it and may offer opposition. As far as could be learned yesterday, no definite opposing steps have been taken.

6 Long Term Bonds
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7 Short Term Issues

comprise the subject matter of our

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BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

	THURSDAY, DEC. 9, 1920.	1919.	1918
Day's sales	$15,900,850	$27,485,500	$10,787,500
Year to date	3,510,338,550	3,322,139,925	1,812,858,000

GOVERNMENT WAR LOANS.

Sales $1,000.	Issue.	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.	Closing Bid.	Closing Asked.	Yield.
	3½s, 1932-47	90.40	90.40	90.20	90.36	..	90.36	90.40	4.06
935	—Liberty 1st 4s, 1932-47	....	....	....	....	....	85.80	86.40	4.86
..	—Liberty 1st 4s, reg	85.50	85.50	85.50	85.50	..	....	....	....
1	—Liberty 1st 4s, 1927-42	85.60	85.60	85.40	85.44	+.04	85.20	85.50	5.05
17	—Liberty 2d 4s, 1932-47	86.22	86.40	86.10	86.26	+.10	86.10	86.30	5.22
135	—Liberty 1st cv. 4½s, 1932-47	85.90	85.90	85.30	85.30	—.16	85.30	85.40	5.42
1,042¾	—Liberty 2d conv. 4½s, 1927-42	85.70	85.88	85.00	88.00	—.10	88.02	88.10	6.18
1,447½	—Liberty 3d conv. 4¼s, 1928	88.30	88.00	88.00	88.00	—.20	....	....	....
5	—Liberty 4th 4¼s, 1933-38	88.00	88.10	86.10	86.10	+.50	85.76	85.80	5.44
5,237	—Liberty 4th 4¼s, reg	85.90	85.90	85.90	85.90	+.50	95.40	95.46	6.72
690	—Victory 3¾s, 1922-23	95.56	95.56	95.40	95.40	—.10	95.40	95.46	6.72
1,261½	—Victory 4¾s, 1922-23	95.56	95.58	95.88	95.46	..	....	....	....

Chincse Ry 5s	1..... 42	4..... 67⅜	Chi & N W 7s, temp ctfs	6..... 12¼	N O, Tex & Mex inc 5s	2..... 49¼
Cy of Bernebe temp ctfs	2..... 68	cy 4s, 1900	3..... 102¾	3..... 12	1..... 53	7..... 49⅜
	1..... 93⅝	10..... 82½	7..... 103	2..... 12¼	N Y Cent 7s, int'm rects	5..... 49
	2..... 93¾	adj 4s, stpd	6..... 102¾	1..... 12⅜	9..... 102	33..... 49
	1..... 93⅝	1..... 70⅝	10..... 102	16..... 12¼	3..... 102¼	21..... 49
	1..... 93¾	1..... 70½	3..... 102¼	37..... 12¾	deb 6s	10..... 49¼
	4..... 93	1..... 70¾	6..... 102	5..... 13	15..... 90⅜	StLSW 1st 4s
Cy of Christiansia&s,Kuhn, Loeb&Co cfs	3..... 92	All Fruit temp 7s	gen 5s	cfs of dep	gen 3½s	5..... 64⅝
	1..... 85⅛	26..... 70	13..... 94½	4..... 12¼	4..... 64	1..... 64¼
	3..... 85¼	Baldw Loco 5s	gen 3½s	2..... 12¼	Int Rap Tran 1st & ref 5s	4..... 64⅜
City of Copenhagen 5½s	1..... 92½	1..... 92¾	3..... 64¾	Int Mer Mar s f 6s	11..... 45⅝	1st Term 5s
	2..... 72¾	1..... 92¾	gen 4s	10..... 79½	12..... 46	1..... 61¼
	5..... 72½	1..... 92½	10..... 78	1s30f.. 79¼	20..... 46	con 4s
City of Lyons 6s, temp cfs	1..... 72½	Balt & Ohio pr lien 3½s	deb 5s, 1933	1s30f.. 79	10..... 46⅛	1..... 62¼
	5..... 70¾	5..... 80½	Chi Rys 5s	2s30f.. 79¼	10..... 46¼	2..... 62
Cy of Paris 6s	1..... 94	gold 4s	1..... 80½	4..... 79¼	5..... 46⅜	5..... 61
	6..... 93¾	1..... 65¼	C,StP,M&Os	1..... 79	10..... 46½	St P, M & M. Mont ext 4s
	32..... 93¾	4..... 65	5..... 100¼	9..... 79¼	5..... 46⅜	1..... 81
	5..... 94	3..... 64¾	C&WI con 4s	1..... 79¾	22..... 46	SanAn&AP4s
	6..... 93⅞	6..... 64⅞	6..... 57	10..... 79	46½	1..... 60½
City of Zurich 8s, receipts	5..... 85⅝	9..... 64¾	Chile Cop 7s	KC,FtS&M 4s	1..... 46	2..... 60
	5..... 85⅝	conv 4½s	2..... 91¾	5..... 61⅝	3..... 46⅛	5..... 60¾
	11..... 95½	15..... 65	col tr 6s	6..... 61⅝	29..... 46⅜	SclovEXNE4s
Dom of Can 5½s, 1921	15..... 98⅛	23..... 65½	44..... 66	4..... 61⅝	3..... 46¾	4..... 74
5s, 1926	90¾	9..... 64	10..... 65⅝	Kan C So 5s	1..... 46	4..... 74½
5½s, 1929	89¾	ref 5s	5..... 66	3..... 70¾	7..... 46⅜	S A L adj 5s
3.....	89¾	2..... 66½	3..... 65⅞	71	1..... 46¾	2..... 36
5.....	89¼	3..... 66	10s5f.. 65¾	4..... 70¾	17..... 46⅝	2..... 36
3.....	89⅛	3..... 64¾	15s5f.. 65⅝	1..... 70¾	5..... 46¾	11..... 35¼
1.....	89¾	3..... 63	3..... 65¾	3s	10..... 46⅝	7..... 35
2.....	90¼	6s	3..... 66	17..... 52¾	5..... 46¾	ref 4s
5.....	89¾	2..... 89¾	3..... 68	13..... 52¾	22..... 46	9..... 40
5s, 1931	89¾	3..... 90	C,C,C&StL ref&impts	Kan C Ter 4s	46⅛	goldis,stpd
1.....	89¾	2..... 90¾	3..... 88	1..... 69⅞	1..... 46¾	1..... 52
French Gov 8s	100⅜	2..... 90	gen 4s	80..... 69	29..... 46¾	So Bell T & T 1st 5s
3.....	100⅜	P,LE&WV 4s	1..... 88	5..... 69¼	3..... 46¾	24..... 85½
4.....	100⅜	2..... 61⅞	gen 4s	Lack Steel 5s, 1923	1..... 46	9..... 80¾
2.....	100⅜	9..... 62	1..... 67⅞	2..... 92½	2..... 46⅛	So Pac col 4s
4.....	100⅜	3..... 61⅞	4..... 67⅞	5s, 1950	2..... 46¼	2..... 69¾
1.....	100⅜	S W div 3½s	deb 4½s	75¾	10..... 46⅜	3..... 69
51.....	100⅜	4..... 76¾	1..... 73½	L S & M So 4s, 1928	10..... 46¾	2..... 69¾
61.....	100⅜	7..... 75¾	C, W & M 4s	4..... 83½	5..... 46⅝	conv 4s
Gov of Switzld 8s, temp rcts	102¾	Tel-Cin div 4s	11..... 61¼	1..... 83⅝	6..... 46¾	6..... 76¼
33.....	102¾	2..... 52¼	Cle&M 1st 4½s	4s, 1931	17..... 46⅝	76
24.....	102¾	2..... 52½	1..... 84½	5..... 81¼	5..... 46¾	10..... 76⅛
3.....	102¾	1..... 53¾	Col&So 1st 4s	8½s	22..... 46	10..... 76¾
10.....	102	1..... 55	2..... 77¾	Leh Vy col tr 8s, temp rcts	1..... 46¼	conv 5s
Jap Gov 4½s, sterling loan	75¾	Tel Tel of Pa 7s, int rcts	ref&ext4½s	3..... 96	29..... 46¾	6..... 101¾
1.....	75¾	1..... 101⅞	6..... 71¾	Leh Vy of NY con 4½s	3..... 46¾	19..... 101
1.....	75¾	3..... 102	1..... 71¾	11..... 78	1..... 46¼	5..... 100¾
2.....	75¾	3..... 101¾	5..... 71¾	Leh V Coal 5s	2..... 46¾	34..... 100¾
2d series	75¾	9..... 102	Con Gas cv 7s	1..... 92¾	10..... 46⅝	57..... 100¾
25.....	75¾	Beth Steel pur mon 5s	1..... 99	Liggett & M 5s	5..... 46¾	15..... 100¾
4s, ster loan	67¾	2..... 75¾	1..... 98¾	6..... 80¼	10..... 46⅝	9..... 100¼
3.....	67	17..... 75	Cuba CaneSug conv 7s	Lone Isl deb 8s, 1937	5..... 46¾	11..... 100
1.....	67	1st & ref 5s	6..... 83¾	6..... 85	10..... 46⅝	12..... 99¾
Kingd of Belg 7½s, rects	96¾	10..... 77½	5..... 83¾	Lou & Nash 7s	5..... 46¾	60..... 100
3.....	97¾	Bklyn Edi Co gen 5s,Ser A	9..... 83¾	6..... 104	10..... 46⅝	1st ref 4s
1.....	97¾	1..... 76	3..... 83¾	Lorill'd Co 5s	1..... 46¾	1..... 74
7.....	97¾	Bklyn R T 7s, 1921	4..... 83¼	1..... 78¼	2..... 46⅝	10..... 73½
3.....	97¾	10..... 41¼	Cumb Tel 5s	Lou & Jeff Bdge 4s	1..... 46¾	13..... 73¾
16.....	97¾	17..... 41	2..... 80	1..... 78½	2..... 46⅝	10..... 73¾
2.....	97	cfs of dep	D & H cv 5s	Lou & N. Atl, K & Cin 4s	1..... 46¾	5..... 74
16.....	97¼	5..... 41¼	2..... 70¾	1..... 64½	2..... 46⅝	SouthRy 1st 5s
6s, 1925	90¾	c of d. stpd	2..... 83¾	Louis & Nash unified 4s	1..... 46¾	4..... 84½
1.....	90¾	6..... 38	2..... 83½	5..... 79	2..... 46⅝	12..... 84¼
2.....	91¼	3..... 86¼	ref 4s	St L div 2d 2s	1..... 46¾	3..... 84¼
1.....	90¾	Buff. R & P con 4½s	5..... 76½	10..... 99	10..... 46⅝	gen 4s
Kingd of Italy 6½s	85	1..... 89¾	3..... 76	St L div 2s	1..... 46¾	1..... 58¾
Rep of Cuba 5s of 1904	77	Bush Term 5s	3..... 75¾	1..... 99	2..... 46⅝	10..... 58⅞
U K of G B & I 5½s, 1921	98	1..... 89¾	temp 7s	Pad & Mem 4s	1..... 46¾	4..... 59
32.....	98	Bush Ter Bdgs gtd 5s	1..... 104	1..... 71¾	2..... 46⅝	6..... 58¾
5½s, 1922	94½	1..... 78	Den & Rio Gr 1st ref 5s	N O & Mob 1st 6s	1..... 46¾	3..... 58¾
2.....	94¾	Cal G & El 5s	5..... 47½	1..... 100⅜	2..... 46⅝	9..... 58
93.....	94¾	1..... 83	3..... 47¾	Manh con 4s	1..... 46¾	Std Mill 1st 5s
3.....	98	Canada So con 5s, Ser A	2..... 47¾	10..... 50¾	2..... 46⅝	N..... 73
55ff.	94¾	2..... 84½	Det Edis 1st & ref 6s	Manitoba S W Colonizn 6s	1..... 46¾	Tenn Cons. I & R gen 5s
5½s, 1929	88¾	Cent of Ga Ry 6s	1..... 90	2.....	2..... 46⅝	3..... 90
13.....	88¾	3..... 87	ref 5s	Midvale Steel col tr 5s	1..... 46¾	Tex & P 1st5s
23.....	88¾	Cent Leath 5s	5..... 78	1..... 71¼	2..... 46⅝	5..... 79
5½s, 1937	83¾	1..... 90¾	Det Un Rwy con 4½s	1..... 71	1..... 46¾	ThirdAv adj5s
15.....	83¾	5..... 89	1..... 61	42..... 71¼	2..... 46⅝	2..... 26¼
12.....	83¾	Cent of N J gen 5s	E Tr Va & G con 5s	5..... 71⅜	1..... 46¾	4..... 26
14.....	84¼	1..... 98¾	5..... 87	1..... 72	2..... 46⅝	Un Pac 1st 4s
3.....	83¾	Cent Pac gtd 3½s	2..... 87¼	Minn & St L con 5s	1..... 46¾	8..... 80¾
5.....	83¾	1..... 75	3..... 87	1..... 68	2..... 46⅝	1..... 79¾
5.....	83¾	gtd 4s	1..... 87¼	1st & ref 4s	1..... 46¾	conv 4s
4.....	84¼	4..... 71¼	Erielst con 4s	1..... 42¼	2..... 46⅝	1..... 80¾
2.....	83¾	T S L 4s	10..... 51¾	5..... 71¾	1..... 46¾	1st & ref 4s
20.....	83¼	1..... 69½	1..... 93¼	1..... 72	2..... 46⅝	2..... 74
US of Mex 5s	42¾	Ches & Ohio gen 4½s	1st gen 4s	Mo, K & East 1st 5s	1..... 46¾	2..... 73¾
1.....	42¾	1..... 74	20..... 40¼	1..... 42	2..... 46⅝	U Rlty of S F 4s, Un Tr cfs of dep
3.....	43¾	5..... 73¾	1..... 40¼	Mo,KAT 1st 4s	1..... 46¾	2..... 28¾
15.....	43¾	4..... 73¾	5..... 40	25..... 56¾	2..... 46⅝	U S Rub 7½s
4s	34¼	5..... 73¾	3..... 40¾	57..... 56¾	1..... 46¾	2..... 97¾
N Y City 4½s, 1960	86½	1..... 72¾	2..... 40¾	10..... 56¾	2..... 46⅝	1..... 97¾
3.....	86½	conv 4½s	conv 4s, A	5..... 56¾	1..... 46¾	7..... 97
3½s, Nov, 1954	74	10..... 72	9..... 39	2d 4s, Tr Co ctfs	2..... 46⅝	1st & ref 5s
4½s, May, 1957	91	6..... 72¾	3..... 39	56, notes	1..... 46¾	5..... 74
1.....	91	5..... 71¾	4..... 37¾	5..... 34¼	2..... 46⅝	5..... 74¾
Nov, 1957	91	conv 5s	Ser B	Mo Pac gen 4s	1..... 46¾	17..... 74¼
2.....	91	3..... 84	12..... 38	1..... 53¼	2..... 46⅝	1.....
Adams Exp 4s	55¾	21..... 83¼	3..... 38	15..... 52¾	1..... 46¾	
1.....	56	27..... 83¼	conv 4s, D	2..... 52¾	2..... 46⅝	
Alaska G M conv deb 6s, Series A	17	R & A div 1st con 4s	1..... 72¾	3..... 52¾	1..... 46¾	
Am Sm & Ref temp 1st 5s	75	3..... 70¾	Fla C & Pen con 5s	10..... 52¾	2..... 46⅝	
11.....	74¾	Chi & Alt 3½s	1..... 86	9..... 52¾	1..... 46¾	
3.....	74¾	2..... 34¾	GenElec deb6s	1..... 52¾	2..... 46⅝	
31.....	75	3..... 35	13..... 85¾	1..... 52¾	1..... 46¾	
5.....	74¾	Chi & Ill Riv 5s	deb 6s	1..... 52¾	2..... 46⅝	
Am Tel & Tel col 4s	73	1..... 84	1..... 99¼	11..... 52	1..... 46¾	
col tr 5s	77¾	2..... 83¾	GtNor ref 4½s	Mo Pac 1st & ref 5s, 1923	2..... 46⅝	
6.....	77¾	1..... 83¾	4..... 79	1..... 87¼	1..... 46¾	
1.....	77¾	Chi & Ill div 3½s	18..... 78¼	Mob&O new 6s	2..... 46⅝	
23.....	77¾	1..... 70¼	Hocky 1st4½s	3..... 97	1..... 46¾	
15.....	77	Chi & Ill div 4s	5..... 71	Mohawk 5½s	2..... 46⅝	
33.....	77¼	2..... 81¾	Hud & M 1st & ref 5s, A	1..... 69	1..... 46¾	
20.....	77¼	1..... 81½	15..... 60	Mont Pow 5s, Series A	2..... 46⅝	
17.....	77¾	Chi & E Ill gen 5s	1..... 60¼	16..... 81	1..... 46¾	
20.....	77¼	10..... 76	15..... 60¼	1..... 81	2..... 46⅝	
3.....	77¾	C & Erie 1st 5s	10..... 60	Mont Tramw 1st ref 5s	1..... 46¾	
1.....	77¾	2..... 77½	2..... 60½	5..... 86	2..... 46⅝	
conv 4½s	82	Chi Gt Wn 4s	adj inc 5s	Nash, C & St L 1st con 5s	1..... 46¾	
1.....	81	3..... 51	20..... 21¾	3..... 82	2..... 46⅝	
conv 6s	94½	5..... 50¼	Ill Cent 3½s, 1952	Nat Rys of Mex pr l 4½s	1..... 46¾	
20.....	94½	4..... 50	4..... 66½	2..... 28¾	2..... 46⅝	
10.....	94¾	5af0f.. 53	temp 5½s	N O Terml 4s	1..... 46¾	
1.....	94¾	C, I & L ref6s	4..... 91	5..... 60¼	2..... 46⅝	
1.....	94½	5af0f.. 50	1..... 90¾	5..... 60	1..... 46¾	
AmT&T cv 4s	65	C, M & St P gen 4s, A	4s, 1937		2..... 46⅝	
1.....	65	2..... 68	10..... 83½		1..... 46¾	
Arm & Co	41½	4s, 1925	2..... 71¼		2..... 46⅝	
10.....	75	1..... 70¾	1.....		1..... 46¾	
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15.....	74½	4..... 68¾	5..... 67¾		1..... 46¾	
10.....	74¾	2..... 69	ref 4s		2..... 46⅝	
20.....	74½	2..... 69	2..... 74		1..... 46¾	
4.....	74½	conv 5s, B	Ill Steel 4½s		2..... 46⅝	
2.....	74½	2..... 66	5..... 78		1..... 46¾	
1.....	74½	ref 4½s	Ind Steel 5s		2..... 46⅝	
17.....	74¾	3..... 58¾	2..... 78½		1..... 46¾	
10s30f..	74¼	5..... 58¾	Int-Met 4½s		2..... 46⅝	
7.....	74¼	25..... 58¾	8..... 12¼		1..... 46¾	
cv 4s, 1955		C & P W 5s	4..... 13¼		2..... 46⅝	
8.....	68	1..... 99¼	5..... 13		1..... 46¾	
1.....	67½		5..... 12½		2..... 46⅝	
			15..... 12		1..... 46¾	
			5..... 12		2..... 46⅝	
			1..... 12⅛		1..... 46¾	

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Assessed valuation of taxable property, 1920.	$677,032,720
Non-operative,	109,901,473
*Operative,	5,776,900
Total bonded debt (this issue included)	
Population (1920, est.), 600,000	

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Assessed Valuation, 1920		$205,981,412
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Drop in White Metal's Price Reported Due to Japanese Gold Purchase in Orient.

CHINESE BUYING CEASES

Nipponese Operations Said to Be in Preparation for the Dec. 31 Settlement.

The continued fall in the price of silver, which yesterday took the quotations for the white metal to the new low records of 39⅝d in London and 60⅝ cents a fine ounce here, is said to be due to persistent and extensive purchases of gold by Japan in the Orient, chiefly in India. Bankers who have connections with the Far East said yesterday that Japanese buying of gold in India has reached extensive proportions and promises to continue, and in explanation of the drop in silver caused by this operation said that the price of gold in India moves in reverse direction with Indian exchange; that Chinese exchange follows the Indian rates, and that silver quotations just now are following the lead of Chinese exchanges. As one banker put it, "they are chasing each other around."

The Japanese buying of gold is said to be in preparation for the Dec. 31 settlement, which is expected to cause a severe strain on Japanese finance. Japan has imported from the United States about $75,000,000 in gold in the last five or six months, and her imports from all sources in October and November are unofficially reported to be about $70,000,000 or $80,000,000. Those who like to see a "yellow peril" in everything Japan does are becoming apprehensive over this movement, but local bankers insist that the Japanese merely are trying to put themselves in as strong position as possible against the expected troubles at the end of the year.

The movement of gold out of India and to Japan, according to information just received, is heavier than it was supposed to be. Last week one shipment was made to Tokio of about $8,500,000 in Indian gold and since the operation was begun a short time ago it is estimated that about $30,000,000 has been taken by Japan. This bidding for gold has had a good deal to do with the depressing of silver prices, bankers say.

There have been other factors at work, too. China, the great silver consuming country, has not been buying of late and India has taken the metal sparingly. Outside of these two countries there is little demand, so that sales, when forced, have had to be at concessions. Added to this, the supply recently has been increased by the offerings of the Bank of France, which is reported to have undertaken to sell 500,000 ounces a week until between 6,000,000 and 6,500,000 ounces are disposed of. This selling has been going on for two or three weeks. Other Continental countries also are selling silver. The Bank of Germany, according to reports coming here, has liquidated about $2,500,000 worth, or about an equal number of ounces, in the last few months. Sales of "American silver"—the product of American mines and refineries—continue to be made to the United States Mint at the fixed price of 99⅝ cents.

Yesterday's quotations for silver of 39⅝d in London and 60⅝ cents here, compared with the year's high records of 89½d, made on Feb. 11, and $1.37, touched on Jan. 12. The depreciation thus shown is something more than 55 per cent. in both cases. As bankers regard the price of silver, however, the quotation really is considerably lower than it appears. They do not consider the so-called "New York official" price, but go by the London rate, and this they regard in the light of the depreciation on sterling exchange, which now is about 29 per cent. In this way, taking into account the depreciation in British money, they compute the value of silver at about 30d. or the pre-war price.

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A. T. & T....	Oct.,	1923	94⅝	94¾	8.10
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Beth. St. Cor.7	July15,'22		97⅜	98½	8.00
Can. Pac. Ry.6	Mar.,2,'24		94½	94¾	..
Col. Graph. Co 8%	Aug.,	1925	90	93	10.00
Cudahy Pack.7	July 15,'23		96¾	97¾	...
Fed. Sug. R...	Nov.,	1924	92	94	7.75
Cont. Arg. R.6	Feb.,	1927	79½	81	10.80
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C., R. I. & P..6	Feb.,	1922	94	95½	10.80
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The B.F.Goodrich Co. cv..7	Apr.,	1925	86½	87½	10.60
Gulf Oil Corp.6	July,	1921	97⅜	98½	7.00
Gulf Oil Corp.6	July,	1922	93	96½	8.50
Gulf Oil Corp.6	July,	1923	94½	95½	8.00
Hocking Val..6	Mar.,	1924	92	93¼	8.80
Int. Rap. Tr..7	Sep.,	1921	67	69	...
Kan. C. Ter..6	Nov.,	1923	92	93½	8.50
Kennecott C..7	Feb.,	1930	90½	91¼	8.40
Laclede Gas ...	Jan.,	1929	88	90	8.70
Lig. & Myers.6	Dec.,	1921	97⅜	98¼	7.85
Nat.C.&S 10-yr.8		1930	96	96	8.66
Penn. Co. ...4½	June	15,'21	98⅜	98¾	7.10
Phila. Co.....6	Feb.,	1922	92	93	12.50
Proc. & G....7	Mar.,	1921	99¾	100¼	6.88
Proc. & G....7	Mar.,	1922	99¾	100¼	6.90
Proc. & G....7	Mar.,	1923	99¾	100½	6.80
Pub. S. Corp. of N. J. cv.7	Mar.,	1922	87	89	..
R. J. Ryids T.6	Aug.,	1922	96¾	97½	7.90
Sears R. & C.7	Oct.	15,'21	97⅜	97¾	9.40
Sears R. & C.7	Oct.	15,'22	94	94½	10.10
Sears R. & C.7	Oct.	15,'23	93¾	94¼	9.25
Sinc. C. O. C.7½	May	15,'25	89½	89¾	10.40
Solvay & Co..8	Oct.,	1927	99½	99¾	8.10
Southern Ry..6	Mar.,	1922	93	93¾	10.60
S'west B. T..7	Apr.,	1925	92	93½	8.80
St.P.Un.Dep., guaran. 5½	Dec.	15,'23	94¾	96	7.00
Swift & Co..6	Aug.	15,'21	97½	78	8.70
Swift & Co...7	Oct.	15,'25	91¾	92½	8.90
Utah Sec.Cor.8	Sep.	15,'22	78	82	..
West'n Elec. Co. conv....6	Apr.,	1925	98¾	99	7.30

FOREIGN SECURITIES.

	Rate.	Due.	Bid.	Asked.
Argent. (unlisted).5	Sept.,	1945	62¾	63¾
Belgium (Restor'n).		1934	55	57
Bel. Prov. Ln., '30.5		...	61¼	64¼
British Victory ...4		1960	252	262
British Fund 4		1960	230	240
Brit. Nat. W. L...5		1922	342	352
Brit. Nat. W. L...5		1927	329	339
Brit. Nat. W. L...		1920	335	345
Canada 6.....5½	Dec.,	1922	83	85
Canada 5½	Nov.,	1923	82	84¼
French Gov. Vic...5		1931	48½	51½
French Loan, '17...4		1948	38½	41½
French Prem. 5	Loan of '20		56	59
French Loan, '20..6		1931	56½	59½
Italy Treas. 5		1923	34	37
Italy Treas. 5		1925	33	36
Russia, ruble bds..5½	Feb.,	1926	6	10
Russia 5½		1921	13	16
Sweden 6	June,	1939	76½	78
Switzerland 5½		1929	80	80¾

FINANCIAL NOTES.

Harris, Forbes & Co. are offering $800,000 City of Winnipeg ten-year 6 per cent. gold bonds at 90⅝ and interest, to yield 7.35 per cent.

George A. Way and Royal A. Meixell have been appointed assistant cashiers of the Fifth Avenue Bank.

R. K. Babcock and G. W. Stratton, formerly of Dunham & Co., have formed a firm under the title of Babcock, Stratton & Co.

Dr. Edwin Holmes has become associated with the firm of Hartshorne & Battelle.

W. E. Hutton & Co. and Harris, Forbes & Co. announce that the $4,000,000 ten-year 8 per cent. gold notes of the Fleischmann Company have all been sold.

The Banque Industrielle de Chine has opened new branch offices in Dunkirk and Bordeaux.

MARKET AVERAGES.

STOCKS.

YESTERDAY'S RANGE.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
25 railroads...	85.09	83.83	84.25	— .80
25 industrials.	86.99	85.05	85.94	—1.36
50 stocks.....	71.04	69.44	70.09	—1.08

DAILY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
Dec. 8.....	72.21	70.67	71.17	— .51
Dec. 7.....	72.69	71.36	71.98	— .16
Dec. 6.....	73.68	71.69	72.14	—1.33
Dec. 4.....	73.72	72.79	73.47	+1.01
Dec. 3.....	72.86	71.90	72.46	— .24
Dec. 2.....	73.41	71.34	72.70	+ .67

MONTHLY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

Dec.	—High.—		—Low.—		Last.
*1920.	73.72	Dec. 2	69.44	Dec. 9	70.09
1918.	76.34	Dec. 11	71.42	Dec. 26	73.39
1917.	66.26	Dec. 31	57.43	Dec. 20	65.88
1916.	90.26	Dec. 4	83.88	Dec. 21	88.22

YEARLY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

*1920.	94.07	Apr. 8	68.85	Nov. 20	70.09
†1919.	99.59	Nov. 5	69.73	Jan. 21	86.35
Full Years.					
1919.	99.59	Nov. 5	69.74	Jan. 21	89.69
1918.	80.16	Nov. 12	64.12	Jan. 15	73.39
1917.	90.46	Jan. 4	57.47	Dec. 20	65.88
1916.	101.51	Nov. 20	80.91	Apr. 22	88.22

BONDS.

YESTERDAY'S CLOSE.

	—Net Change.— Day.	Month.	Year.
40 issues 68.48	—.41	—3.55	—3.12

DAILY RANGE OF 40 BONDS.

Dec. 8...68.89	—.29	Nov. 29...70.19	+.06
Dec. 7...69.18	—.32	Nov. 27...70.13	—.08
Dec. 6...69.50	—.24	Nov. 26...70.21	—.07
Dec. 4...69.74	+.05	Nov. 25...Holiday.	
Dec. 3...69.69	—.06	Nov. 24...70.28	—.13
Dec. 2...69.75	—.15	Nov. 23...70.41	+.11
Dec. 1...69.90	—.22	Nov. 22...70.30	+.22
Nov. 30...70.12	—.07	Nov. 20...70.08	+.27

YEARLY RANGE OF 40 BONDS.

	—High.—		—Low.—		Last.
*1920.	73.14	Oct. 21	65.57	May 21	68.48
†1919.	79.05	June 2	71.80	Dec. 3	71.80
Full Years.					
1919.	79.05	June 2	71.05	Dec. 18	72.00
1918.	82.36	Nov. 12	75.65	Sep. 27	78.78
1917.	89.48	Jan. 20	74.24	Dec. 20	76.80

*To date. †To corresponding date last year

FOREIGN BANK STATEMENTS.

The statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes for the last week:

Gold coin and bullion increased....	£886,220
Reserve of notes and gold increased.	957,000
Notes in circulation decreased.....	71,000
Loans and Government securities decreased 13,188,000	
Loans on other securities decreased 3,173,000	
Public deposits increased.....	778,000
Oother deposits decreased.....16,203,000	
Notes in reserve increased.....	978,000

Proportion of the Bank's reserve to deposit liabilities this week is 9.34 per cent.; last week it was 7.88 per cent.; two weeks ago 11.83 per cent. Highest reserve percentage of the year was 23½ on March 17; lowest, 7⅜, on Dec. 2, which was also the lowest of the war period. Until the last-named date the lowest reserve ratios reported by the Bank of E..gland were 8⅛ per cent., on Oct. 6; 8½ on July 30 and 9¼ on Dec. 31, 1919. The ratio in the war panic week of August, 1914, was 14⅝ per cent.

The statement compares as follows with the corresponding week one year and two years ago:

	1920.	1919.	1918.
Total gold holdings—	£123,877,511	£91,659,648	£77,780,466
Reserve in Banking Department, gold and notes—	£13,917,000	£21,526,033	£28,672,336
Notes in circulation—	£130,408,000	£88,583,615	£67,508,130
Public deposits—	£22,424,000	£20,174,296	£27,418,215
Other deposits—	£136,583,000	£137,694,082	£152,999,462
Government securities—	£80,708,000	£77,203,036	£73,685,411
Other securities—	£72,181,000	£77,073,580	£95,901,122
Ratio of reserve—	9.34%	13.60%	15.90%

The Bank of England's official minimum discount rate was left unchanged at 7 per cent., at which it has stood since April 15. A year ago it was 6 per cent., having been advanced to that rate on Nov. 6, 1919. At this date of 1918 and 1917 it was 5 per cent., against 6 per cent. in 1916 and 5 per cent. in 1915 and 1914.

The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes, in francs:

Gold in hand increased.....	2,954,000
Silver in hand increased.....	6,377,000
Notes in circulation decreased..	633,230,000
Treasury deposits increased.....	42,371,000
General deposits decreased.....	53,538,000
Bills discounted decreased.....	117,293,000
Advances increased.....	137,829,000

The principal items in the statement compare as follows with the same date one and two years ago:

	1920.	1919.	1918.
Gold—	Francs.	Francs.	Francs.
	5,498,063,000	5,377,647,350	5,471,382,925
Silver—	249,075,000	276,307,256	319,372,663
Circulation—	37,922,121,000	37,677,945,200	29,028,387,230

The highest point which the French Bank's outstanding note circulation has ever reached was the 39,644,392,000 francs of Nov. 3.

GUARANTY TRUST CO. TO ENLARGE CAPITAL

Plans Reported for Increasing It From $25,000,000 to $40,000,000 After Jan. 1.

NEW RESOURCES $80,000,000

National City Bank Will Still Lead in Total—National Park Bank Expansion.

The Guaranty Trust Company will increase its capital from $25,000,000 to $40,000,000 very shortly after the first of the new year, according to reports current in financial circles yesterday. When this increase is consummated, the Guaranty Trust Company will have a combined capital, surplus and undivided profits of about $80,000,000.

At the present time the capital, surplus and undivided profits of the institution are approximately $61,115,000. Its capital is $25,000,000 and its surplus and profits $33,114,800, according to the last official report. The total is second only to that of the National City Bank, which has a capital of $40,000,000 and a surplus and undivided profits of $66,103,100. The National Bank of Commerce, which stands third among American banks, has a capital of $25,000,000 and surplus and undivided profits of $33,182,500, for a total of $58,182,500.

The last previous increase in the capital of the Guaranty Trust Company was made in July, 1917, when the amount was advanced from $20,000,000 to $25,000,000. Prior to that time there was an increase from $10,000,000 to $20,000,000 authorized on Nov. 27, 1915.

No official confirmation of the latest reported increase could be obtained yesterday, but it is known that the Board of Directors and the officers of the company have been considering the matter for some time. When the National City Bank increased its capital from $25,000,000 to $40,000,000 last July it was confidently predicted that the Guaranty Trust Company would shortly do the same, but no action, so far as is known, has as yet been taken. Now it is expected that a call for a special meeting of shareholders will be sent out shortly after the first of the new year and that the increase in capitalization will follow.

Stockholders of the National Park Bank have been called to a special meeting for Jan. 11, at which time they will be asked to ratify the recommendation of the Board of Directors that the capital of that bank be increased from $7,500,000 to $10,000,000. The capital was increased last July from $5,000,000 to $7,500,000. If the present proposal is ratified, the new stock, it is said, will be offered to shareholders at par.

The National Park Bank now has capital of $7,500,000 and surplus and undivided profits of $23,176,300, for a total of $30,676,300, and, with the proposed increase in capitalization, it will have close to $33,200,000 in combined capital, surplus and profits. When that is done, the only New York banks which will exceed it in power will be the National City, the Guaranty Trust Company, the National Bank of Commerce, the Bankers Trust Company, the First National and the Chase National.

RAILS GOT $312,000,000.

Houston Gives Congress Figures From March to November.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—More than $312,000,000 was turned over to the railroads by the Government in the form of advances on the guarantee provisions of the Transportation act and in loans between the last of March and first part of November, according to figures sent to Congress today by Secretary Houston.

Action to compel the Treasury to advance about $400,000,000 more now is pending in the District of Columbia Supreme Court on mandamus proceedings instituted by the carriers.

Up to Nov. 13, the Secretary said, the Interstate Commerce Commission certified for payment to the Treasury advances totaling $256,524,874, on which payments aggregating $250,485,374 were made. Up to Nov. 9, he stated, certificates for loans amounting to $102,812,785 had been received and an aggregate of $81,621,085 had been made.

According to an estimate submitted by the commission, the Secretary said, the total amount necessary to make good the guarantee provision of the Transportation act will approximate $600,000,000.

BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS

FOREIGN ISSUES.

Closing quotations for Government and municipal bonds:

	Bid.	Asked
City of Berne 8s	95¾	95½
City of Christiania 8s	...	97⅜
City of Zurich 8s	95⅜	96
Argentine 5s	69½	70
Belgium 6s, 1921	99⅝	99⅞
Belgium 6s, 1925	90¼	91½
Belgium 7½s	97¼	97⅝
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1921	98⅞	99
Dom. of Canada 5½s, 1921	98¼	98½
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1926	90⅞	91
Dom. of Canada 5½s, 1929	89½	90
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1931	...	89⅝
Chinese Government 5s	41	41½
Republic of Cuba ext. 5s, 1944	77	77½
Republic of Cuba ext. 4½s, 1949	60	62
Dominican Republic 5s	74	75
City of Lyons 6s	79½	84
City of Marseilles 6s	79½	80
City of Bordeaux 6s	79½	80
City of Copenhagen 5½s	72	72½
French Government 8s	100¼	100⅝
City of Paris 6s	93⅜	94
Gov. of Switzerland 8s	102⅜	102½
Japanese 4½s	75¼	75⅜
Japanese 4½s, second series	73½	73½
Japanese 4s	56½	57
City of Tokio 5s	45⅜	46
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1921	98	98½
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1922	94⅜	95
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1929	88⅝	89
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1937	83	83¼
United States of Mexico 5s	43¼	43½
United States of Mexico 4s	34	34½
Italy 6½s	83	85

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRE-WAR LOANS.

Closing quotations for Government bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
4s, r, 1925.104	...	...
4s, c, 1925.104	106	...
Pan 3s, r, 1961....	89	...
Pan 3s, c, 1961	...	90
P I 4s, '34, 81½	90	...
P I 4s, '35, 81¾	90	...

Closing quotations for stocks in which there were no transactions:

	Bid.	Asked.
Adv R pf. 49¼	50	...
Alb & Sus.120	150	...
A A Cables 90	100	...
All Realty. 74	...	...
Am S 1st pf. 98½	...	...
Am B N pf 41	44	...
pf. 41	44	...
Am B Sug pf. 70	80	...
Am B S & Fdy 43	45	...
Do pf.... 83	83¾	...
Am C & F pf 109	112	...
Am H & L 8	8¾	...
Am Ice pf 57	57¼	...
Am Lin pf 84	89	...
Am Lo pf.101	103	...
Am Rad... 67½	69	...
Do pf.... 101	...	...
Am Shipb. ..	90	...
Do pf.... ..	90	...
Am Sm pf. 71	73	...
Am Snuff. 96	97	...
Do pf.... 78	87	...
Am Su pf.100⅝	101¼	...
Am T & C 47⅞	53	...
Am Tob pf 89½	89¾	...
Am Wh pf 90	92¼	...
Am W pf. 93¼	93½	...
Ann Arbor 11	15	...
Do pf.... 21	35	...
As D G pf	44	...
Atlas T... 88	90½	...
Atl R pf..103½	104½	...
A G & W I pf..... 58½	58	...
Aus Nich...68½	69½	...
Do pf.... 3¾	4	...
Bar Leath 23	33	...
Do pf.... 60	70	...
B'ch Cr'k. 29	..	...
Beth S 7% pf. 90	95	...
Do 8% pf.103	104	...
B Fish pf 20	27	...
B'klyn Ed. 85	95	...
Brown Sh. 40	43	...
Do pf.... 75	86	...
B. R & P. 60	85	...
Do pf.... 85	105	...
Buff & S.. 72	...	...
Do pf.... ..	84½	...
Burns Bros pf. 96	115	...
Bush Ter. ..	85	...
Butte & Su 9¾	10	...
Cal Pet pf 67¼	68	...
Cal & Ariz 45	48	...
Can So.... 40	..	...
Cent L pf. 91	91½	...
C R R of N J.....191	210	...
C'tain-teed 40	43	...
Do 1st pf 80	..	...
Do 2d pf. 70	75	...
Chi & A pf 10	15	...
C & E Ill. 6	8	...
Do pf.... 6	8	...
Chi, St P, M & Om. 83	88	...
Do pf.... 89	93	...
C, C, C & St L 41	52	...
C & S 1st pf. 50	54½	...
Do 2d pf. 47	53	...
Col Gr pf. 67	72½	...
Con Cigar. 53	54	...
Cont C pf.. 98	100	...
Cont Ins.. 66	68	...
Corex Carp. ..	75	...
C-Am Sug pf. 93	100	...
De B M... 18½	25	...
D & Co pf 88	93	...
Del & Hud.101	102	...
Det Ed.. 93½	100	...
Det Un Ry ..	85	...
Dul S Tra ..	17	...
Dur H pf. 86	90	...
Elec S L.. 95	110	...
E H Co pf 85	88	...
Em B pf... 20	60	...
E Kodak..520	...	...
Do pf....100	103	...
Erie & 1st. 45	55	...
Fisher Bdy 85	95	...
Do pf.... 98	101	...
Gen A T C 52	60	...
Gen Chem.120	130	...
Do pf.... 86	90	...
Gen Cig. pf 75	82	...
G M & N. 8½	12	...
Gulf S S 1st pf.... ..	90	...
Habir Elec 11	15	...
Hartman... 70	72	...
Hock Val.. 57	...	...
Homestake 50	53	...
Ill C 1 l.. 57	59	...
Ind Ref pf 82	...	...
Int N pf.. 82	85	...
Int Pa pf. 85	100	...
Do pf. s. 71	72	...
Int Salt.... 60	...	...
Iowa Cent. 5	9	...
Iron Prod. 31½	33	...
K C, F S & M pf..... 60	61	...
Kayser (J) 71	80	...
Do 1st pf100	120	...
Kelly Sp T pf. 73	90	...
Do 8% pf 84	90	...
Kel W pf. ..	95	...
K & D M. 5	10	...
Do pf.... 28	...	...
Kress(S H) 76	90	...
L E & W. 11¼	14	...
L & M pf.101	102	...
L-W B 1st pf. 95	99	...
Do 2d pf.103¼	110	...
Mah Coal..330	700	...
Mar Car Co pf 57	57½	...
Mallinson.. 11½	12	...
Do pf.... 51	60	...
Man B'ch. ..	2½	...
Man El S. ..	57	...
Man S pf.. 80	93	...
M M 1st pf 5	6½	...
Do 2d pf. 2½	3¾	...
M Dep Sts 71	74	...
Do pf.... 95½	...	...
Mich Cen.. 90	...	...
M. St P & S S M... 72	75	...
Do pf.... 93	98	...
Do 1 l.. 54	56	...
Mont Pow. 51½	53	...
M & E x d 60	...	...
Mul B pf. 73¼	...	...
N A & C pf 87	89½	...
Do ctfs.. 87	88	...
Nat B pf..108	109	...
Natl L pf.101	102½	...
Nat Rys of M 1st pf. 8¾	13	...
N Y, C & St L 1st pf. 60	68	...
Do 2d pf. 60	65	...
N Y D pf 43½	46	...
N Y, L & W pf. 81	88	...
Ohio F S.. 45	50	...
Otis Elev..126	131	...
Do pf.... ..	90	...
Otis Stl pf 70	85	...
Owens Bot pf. 95	100	...
Pac Coast. 22	35	...
Do 1st pf 60	90	...
Do 2d pf. 45	60	...
Penney pf. 80	90	...
P M p pf 53	57	...
Do pf.... 40	42	...
Pett-Mull.. 55	62	...
Do 1st pf 92	115	...
P Jones... 30	60	...
Do pf.... 73	76	...
P Y & A pf 75	121	...
P, Ft W & C pf..... 113	120	...
P Steel pf 83	86	...
P & W Va pf 75	79	...
P S Car pf 95	100	...
Rand M... 22	23½	...
R R Sec. i C stk cfs 45	55	...
R S S pf. 99½	103	...
R T 1st pf. ..	85	...
Do 2d pf. ..	85	...
Rens & S. 98	..	...
St L S F pf 30	38	...
San C Sug. 4	4¼	...
So P R S pf 95	105	...
Stern B pf ..	94½	...
Stand Mill.105	140	...
Do pf.... 72	80	...
Sup Stl 1st pf. 93	97½	...
Temtor. A. 30⅜	33½	...
T P L Tr.200	300	...
Third Av.. 14	15	...
Tide W O.185	190	...
Tob P pf. 81	86	...
T Sq A S 8¾	9¾	...
T, St L & W ctfs... 7	10	...
Do pf c. 16	20	...
T C R T.. 41	42½	...
Do pf.... 75	84¾	...
Und Type..122½	150	...
U B & P. 71	75	...
Un Cig S..100	130	...
Do pf.... 101	106	...
U D 1st pf 44½	45	...
U S Exp.. 6¾	7¼	...
U S Ind A pf. 92½	94	...
U S Sm pf 40	41	...
Va-C C pf 95	98	...
V I, C & C 90	95	...
Va R & P....	45	...
Weber & H 9	10	...
Wab pf, B 14½	15½	...
W Wire S 22	25	...
Wilson pf. 80	85	...
Wis Cent.. 33	37	...
Woolworth.107½	108½	...
Do pf.....102	105	...
Wor Pump pf, A.... 77	80	...
Do pf, B. 58	60	...

THE TREASURY STATEMENT.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Revenue receipts and expenditures:

	This Month.	Corresponding Month, 1919.	*Fiscal Year, 1921.	*Corresponding Fiscal Yr., 1920.
Customs	$5,010,953.25	$5,397,582.14	$136,553,424.33	$123,339,648.99
Internal Revenue:				
Income and profits tax...	18,724,772.71	9,354,706.64	976,257,523.71	1,107,370,945.59
Miscellaneous	37,232,682.36	29,643,257.99	684,632,524.82	647,485,306.78
Miscellaneous revenue	7,389,225.03	6,808,909.93	303,746,228.91	308,281,037.76
Panama Canal tolls, &c....	456,191.36	274,029.50	3,154,003.10	2,368,043.57
Total ordinary	$68,813,824.71	$51,473,486.20	$2,104,343,704.87	$2,188,844,982.49
Excess of ord. receipts over ord. disbursements	2,459,850.84	.....	.....	.....
Excess of ord. disb. over ordinary receipts	.....	85,319,507.31	65,449,511.02	1,302,622,455.14
Expenditures	66,353,973.87	136,992,993

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COTTON FLUCTUATES, BUT IS UP AT CLOSE

Reports of Acreage Reductions in Egypt and the South Bring Early Rise.

A sharp and totally unexpected turn upward at Liverpool before our opening and a good demand from that place and from the South at and after the beginning of business here, lifted the cotton market yesterday 30 to 40 points in the forenoon trading. On this bulge December was the only option to stay below 16 cents, and May and July got up to around 16.40. However, these levels appeared to attract fresh selling in the afternoon and virtually all of the gains, except in the very far distant months, were lost. The market closed steady to firm, unchanged to 20 points net higher.

The Liverpool rise was due to reports that the Egyptian Government has issued a decree limiting the new acreage to cotton between a third and a half. This, coming on top of the reports from the Memphis conference that planters are considering a drastic reduction in our acreage, helped the market considerably. The trade and the local speculative element are inclined to pay more attention to these reports than they were in other years, for, so far as the American situation is concerned, planters' organizations are known to be becoming stronger all the time, while in the case of Egypt, the Government there is supposed to be behind the reduction movement.

Trade news was about a stand-off. There was little either here or abroad to stimulate the market one way or the other, and traders had only passing interest in the reports. The trade situation, like that of the market, is more or less stagnant and waiting "for something to turn up." This something may come very shortly, or it may be deferred for weeks, and meanwhile neither the trade nor the market can do much.

Yesterday's quotations follow:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Day.
Dec.	15.95	15.95	15.50	15.67@15.68	15.67
Jan.	16.00	16.12	15.71	15.76@15.78	15.72
March	16.15	16.20	15.84	15.90@15.91	15.86
May	16.30	16.40	16.04	16.08@16.10	16.00
July	16.32	16.42	16.10	16.13@16.15	16.06
Oct.	16.20	16.24	15.99	16.05	15.85

The local market for spot cotton was quiet, unchanged, at 16.25c for midland upland; sales 100 bales.

Southern spot markets were: Galveston, 15.75c, unchanged; New Orleans, 15c, down .25; Savannah, 16c, down .25; Augusta, 15.38c, unchanged; Memphis, 15c, unchanged; Houston, 15c, unchanged; Little Rock, 15.50c, unchanged.

Yesterday's cotton statistics were:

	Yesterday.	Last Wk.	Last Yr.
Port receipts	45,129	25,688	38,278
Exports	19,902	58,474	20,021
Exports, season	1,982,191	1,892,552	2,197,290
New York stocks	20,590	17,413	59,912
Port stocks	1,378,048	1,262,150	1,611,606
N. Y. arrivals	557	102	.....

Liverpool cables: Spot cotton was quiet at 11.04d for middling. Sales, 3,000 bales, of which American 2,000. Imports, 15,000 bales, of which American 1,000. Future opened quiet, 10 to 14 points down, and closed steady, 25 to 33 points up on the day. Prices: December, 11.38d; March, 11.48d; May, 11.48d; July, 11.46d. Manchester: Yarns and cloths were dull and irregular.

FOREIGN STOCK MARKETS.

Prices Higher at London, Lower at Paris.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Old 2½ per cent. consols, ¼ point higher at 44⅛; British 5 per cent. war loan, ⅛ lower at 83; 4½ per cent. war loan, ¼ lower at 76½.

Rand Mines, unchanged at 2½; De Beers Mining, 1¾ lower at 12¾.

PARIS, Dec. 9.—Prices were weak on the Bourse today. Three per cent. rentes, 80 centimes higher at 58 francs 20 centimes; 5 per cent. war loan, unchanged at 85 francs 20 centimes.

Exchange on London, 70 centimes higher at 58 francs 65 centimes per sovereign; American dollars were quoted at 17 francs 4 centimes, against 16 francs 77½ centimes yesterday.

DECLARED DIVIDENDS.

Company.	Rate.	Payable.	Holders of Record.
Am. Ag. Chem. pf	*2	Q Jan. 15	Dec. 20
Do pf	1½	Q Jan. 15	Dec. 20
Cent. States El. pf	1¾	Q Dec. 31	Dec. 10
Chatham & Phenix Natl. Bank	$4.00	Q Jan. 3	Dec. 17
Cluett, Peabody pf	1.75	Q Jan. 1	Dec. 21
C. R. Wilson Body pf	1¾	Q Jan. 1	Dec. 20
Fairbanks Co. 2d pf	2	Q Jan. 1	Dec. 20
Gen'l Am. Tank Car	$1.50	S-A Jan. 1	Dec. 15
Do 2d pf	1¾	Q Jan. 1	Dec. 15
Guantanamo Sugar	50c	Q Jan. 3	Dec. 18
Italian Discount & Trust	5	— Dec. 31	Dec. 15
J. C. Penney pf	$1.75	Q Dec. 31	Dec. 20
Lawyers T. & T.	1½	— Jan. 3	Dec. 15
Mexican Pet.	$3.00	Q Jan. 10	Dec. 18
Do pf	2.00	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 18
Panama P. & L. pf	1¾	Q Jan. 3	Dec. 11
Reading Co.	2	Q Feb. 10	Jan. 18
Do 2d pf	1	Q Jan. 31	Dec. 15
Royal Baking Powd.	2	Q Dec. 31	Dec. 15
Do	2	Q Dec. 31	Dec. 15
Do pf	1½	Q Dec. 31	Dec. 15
United Gas Imp't	1	Q Jan. 15	Dec. 31
Do pf	1¾	Q Mar. 15	Feb. 28
Utilities Sec. pf	1¾	Q Dec. 27	Dec. 17
Victor Talk. Mach.	$15	— Jan. 15	Dec. 31
Do pf	$1.75	— Jan. 15	Dec. 31

EQUIPMENT BONDS.

Quoted on a Percentage Basis.

Name.	Maturity.	Rate.	Bid.	Ask.
Balt. & Ohio	1920-'27	4½	7.37	6.75
Beth. Steel	1920-'30	7	7.40	6.90
Buff., R. & Pitts.	1920-'23	4¼, 5, 6	6.90	6.30
Canadian Pac.	1920-'32	4½@6	7.25	6.40
Ches. & Ohio	1924-'35	6½	6.70	6.40
Chi. & N'western	1920-'23	4½	6.95	6.35
Chi., R. I. & P.	1920-'27	4½@5	7.50	6.75
Ch., St. L. & N. O.	1920-'24	5	7.15	6.50
C., C., C. & St. L.	1920-'29	5 @6	7.00	6.25
Del. & Hudson	1922	4½	7.40	6.90
Erie Railroad	1920-'27	4½@6	8.00	7.00
Grace Steamship	1920-'34	6½	7.75	7.10
Illinois Central	1920-'27	4½@5	6.95	6.30
Illinois Central	1925-'35	7	6.70	6.40
Int. Prod. S'ship	1920-'26	7	8.50	7.25
Louis. & Nash.	1920-'23	5	6.90	6.25
Michigan Central	1920-'23	5 @6	6.85	6.25
Minn. & St. L.	1920-'27	5 @6	7.50	6.70
Mo., K. & T.	1920-'24	5	8.00	7.20
N. Y. Central	1920-'32	4½@5	7.25	6.40
N. Y. Central	1921-'35	7	7.15	6.40
Nort. & Western	1920-'24	4½	6.90	6.25
Northern Pacific	1921-'30	7	7.10	6.40
N. Y., N. H. & H.	1920-'30	4½, 5, 6	8.00	7.25
Pac. Fruit Exp.	1925-'35	7	6.87	6.40
Penn. Gen. Fr't	1920-'23	4 @4½	6.85	6.25
Pitts. & L. Erie	1921-'35	6½	6.85	6.40
Reading Co.	1920-'27	4½	6.95	6.35
Seab'd Air Line	1920-'27	4½, 5, 6	7.75	7.00
Sinclair Refining	1920-'21	6	8.00	7.00
Southern Pacific	1920-'25	4½	6.85	6.25
Southern Pacific	1924-'35	7	6.80	6.35
Southern Ry.	1920-'28	4½@5	7.50	6.85
Union Pacific	1924-'35	7	6.80	6.35
Virginian Railway	1920-'30	6	7.35	6.85
White Oil Corp.	1920-'23	6	8.50	7.50

BOSTON CURB.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Ariz. Ext.	2	3	Iron Blossom	20	30
Ariz. Silver	17	19	Iron Cap.	6	7½
Ariz. Tip Top	8	9	La Rose	20	23
Black Hawk	15	17	Majestic	8	12
Boston Mon.	41	42	Mex. Metals	30	33
Calaveras	1	1⅛	Midway Moss	20	30
Chief Con.	2⅜	3	Monarch	11	15
Crown Res.	10	20	Nat. L. & Z.	2	5
Crystal, new	42	45	Nixon	7	8
Denbigh	16	18	Rainier	11	13
Eagle B. B.	2½	2¾	Seven Metals	12	14
Eureka Cro.	43	44	Silver Reef	6	8
Fortuna		5	U. V. Ext.	23¾	24
Gadsden	40	45	Yukon	¾	1¼
Homa	6	7			

Weather in Grain and Cotton States.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Forecast:

Ill. and Wis.—Cloudy Fri. Sat. probably fair; not much change in temp.

Mo.—Fair Fri. and probably Sat.; not much change in temp.

Minn.—Fair Fri.; unsettled Sat.; colder Fri.

Iowa—Fair Fri. and probably Sat.; not much change in temp.

N. D.—Fair Fri.; unsettled Sat.; warmer Fri.

S. D.—Fair Fri., becoming unsettled by night and on Sat.; not much change in temp.

Neb. and Kan.—Fair Fri. and probably Sat.; warmer Fri.

Mont. Fair Fri. and probably Sat., except rain or snow Fri. and in s. w.; colder Sat.

Wyo.—Fair Fri. and Sat., except probably snow in extreme w.; warmer Fri.; colder Sat.

N. C., S. C. and Ga.—Cloudy Fri. and probably Sat.; slightly warmer Fri.

Fla.—Fair Fri. and Sat.; somewhat warmer Fri.

Extreme N. W. Fla., Ala. and Miss.—Fair Fri. and Sat.; not much change in temp.

Tenn. and Ky.—Cloudy Fri. Sat. fair; not much change in temp.

Ohio and Ind.—Cloudy Fri. and probably Sat.; not much change in temp.

Lower Mich.—Cloudy Fri. and Sat.; little change in temp.

Upper Mich.—Cloudy Fri. and Sat.; slightly colder in w. Fri.

SENTIMENT BEARISH ON CHICAGO GRAINS

Sagging Wheat Prices With Recent Export Sales Heavy May Token Basic Weakness.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec, 9.—Bearish sentiment predominates in the grain markets. Wheat prices moved erratically within a range of 5 and 6½ cents at one time, December being within ⅛ cent of the March, the narrowest difference so far. Toward the last, December rallied and finished 2½ cents over the deferred delivery, but net losses were 2½ to cents.

The weakness in stocks, silver and other commodities, with a belief that export demand was to fall off sharply after the close of navigation, served to undermine confidence of buyers. The fact that prices have been down grade, in the face of estimated export sales of 5,000,000 bushels of wheat in two days, is taken as indicating that the situation is fundamentally weak.

Cash premiums show signs of weakening, hard Winter at Kansas City selling within 2 cents of the December, and Springs here were off 2 cents.

Demand for flour is very small, according to all reports. Northwestern mills are operating at 60 per cent. capacity. New York exporters, bullish on wheat, cannot understand the persistent weakness in the market, especially with Buenos Aires selling at a big premium over Chicago—compared with 6 cents discount recently, Buenos Aires prices are 6 cents higher—and conflicting reports come from there regarding the weather.

Indications are that condition wheat will move, all rail, into the States after the close of navigation, within a week. Winnipeg was offering no wheat today except at 40 cents over their December, a prohibitive price. Reports from Kansas City indicate that farmers are more anxious to sell wheat; from Iowa that farmers are selling and hauling more corn, and that Illinois holders are asking for bids on corn.

A farmer here from Nebraska says a farmer there brought in twenty-five bushels of corn and a beef hide to buy a pair of shoes. The price secured for the load was $1.10 below the price of the shoes—and he had to put up the money. Another farmer, said to be worth $75,000, was unable to borrow $35 at the bank with which to pay for husking his corn, and sold 100 bushels of oats to pay the bill.

Nebraska farmers are not selling grain to any extent, but Omaha is selling rye to come here. Seaboard exporters are selling December rye and buying May, and one house ordered rye, delivered on December trades, shipped to the seaboard.

Coarse grains declined under steady selling pressure with poor support and closed around the inside, with corn off 1⅛ to 1¼ cents and oats ½ cent, while rye finished 1¼ to 1⅝ cents higher. Average price of hogs, $9.65, is the lowest of the year with 48,000 in and 13,000 left over unsold at the last.

Primary receipts of oats are running ahead of last week and last year. Wheat receipts for the four days this week aggregate 6,100,000 bushels, compared with 5,885,000 last week and 3,992,000 last year. Shipments, of 4,169,000, decreased from last week, but exceeded last year.

Corn receipts were 2,118,000 bushels, compared with 2,330,000 last week and 3,403,000 last year. Shipments have fallen off sharply. The Corn Products Company is using 25,000 bushels here daily, while its capacity is 65,000.

Oats receipts show 1,995,000 bushels, compared with 1,563,000 last week and 1,415,000 last year.

Today's Chicago prices for the principal commodities were as follows:

WHEAT.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
December	1.71	1.64¼	1.66⅝	1.65
March	1.68⅛	1.63½	1.64¼	1.67

CORN.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
December	74⅜	72½	72½	74¾	1.41
May	76⅜	75	75¼	76½	1.32¼

OATS.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
December	49	47¼	48	48⅝	77½
May	52½	51⅝	51¾	52¼	80
July	51⅞	51½	51¾	51⅝	75¼

RYE.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
December	1.60¼	1.57¼	1.59	1.60¼	..
May	1.48¼	1.40¼	1.42	1.40½	1.65

PROVISIONS.

Lard—	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year
Jan.	14.80	14.30	14.32	14.52	22.45
May	14.50	14.37	14.37	14.55	22.85
Ribs—					
Jan.	12.60	12.30	12.30	12.45	18.10
May	12.82	12.65	12.65	12.77	18.50
Pork—					
Jan.	23.60	23.22	23.22	23.60	35.25

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

Following is the range of prices in the important miscellaneous commodities in New York:

COTTONSEED OIL.

The cottonseed oil market was more active and prices closed 3 to 6 points net higher.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Closing bid.
Spot	...	...	...	9.25
January	9.33	9.25	9.32	9.31
February	No sales			9.35
March	9.67	9.60	9.60	9.63
April	No sales			9.64
May	9.85	9.80	9.84	9.83
June	No sales			9.90
July	10.16	10.10	10.15	10.14

Total sales, 18,900.

COFFEE.

The coffee market developed a firmer tone, prices closing 6 to 12 points net higher.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
March	7.25	7.10	7.18	7.06	15.50
May	7.65	7.48	7.54	7.43	15.50
July	7.87	7.87	7.87	7.81	15.45
Sept.	8.10	8.10	8.10	8.00	....

SUGAR.

There was a further decline in the raw sugar market, with prices 4 to 14 points lower.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
January	4.63	4.56	4.56	4.70
March	4.76	4.75	4.75	4.85
May	4.95	4.87	4.87	5.00
July	5.02	5.01	5.01	5.05

PRODUCE MARKETS.

BUTTER—Receipts yesterday, 3,503 packages. Market advanced 1c to 1½c on the finer grades of fresh creamery, medium qualities not sharing in the improvement; ladles decidedly lower and packing stock dragging heavily. Creamery, higher than extras, pound, 54@54½c; extras, 92 score, 53@53½c; firsts, 90 to 91 score, 46@51c; firsts, 88 to 89 score, 41@45c; seconds, 86 to 87 score, 38@40c; lower grades, 34@35c; unsalted, higher than extras, 56½@57c; extras, 55@56c; firsts, 43@53c; seconds, 37@42c; held or storage, high scoring, 51@51½c; extras, 49@50c; firsts, 41@48c; seconds, 35@40c; lower grades, 32@34c; Danish casks, fresh, 48½@51c; State dairy tubs, finest, 40@51c; good to prime, 43@47c; common to fair, 33@42c; renovated, extras, 41@42c; ladles, current make, firsts, 27@28c; seconds, 24@25c; lower grades, 22@23c; packing stock, current make, No. 1, 24@24½c; No. 2, 23c; lower grades, 20@22c.

EGGS—Receipts yesterday, 6,895 cases. High grades of fresh eggs scarce and prices firm; medium at proportionate values; storage at hardening prices; whites at about the same range of prices. Fresh gathered, extras, dozen, 91@92c; extra firsts, 88@90c; firsts, 86@87c; seconds, 76@84c; dirties, No. 1, 56@58c; checks, fair to choice, dry, 50@54c; refrigerator, special marks, fancy, 62½@63c; firsts, 60@62c; seconds, 56@59c; State, Pennsylvania and near-by Western, hennery whites, extras, $1.03@1.05; extra firsts, $1.01@1.02; firsts, 95c@$1; gathered whites, firsts to extra firsts, 95c@$1.02; under grades, 80@92c; pullets, 78@85c; Pacific Coast, white, extra, $1.03@1.05; extra firsts, $1.01@1.02; firsts, 95c@$1; pullets, selected, small out, 80@92c; usual size, 80@85c; other Western and Southern, gathered whites, 75@95c; State, Pennsylvania and near-by Western, hennery browns, extras, 93@96c; gathered brown and mixed colors, graded extras, 91@92c; firsts to extra firsts, 85@90c.

President of Java Bank Here.

E. A. Zellinga, President of the Java Bank, the State bank of that country, is in New York en route to Holland. While here Mr. Zellinga has been in conference with officials of the local Federal Reserve Bank, who act for his institution in the purchase of American acceptances and in other financial matters. Mr. Zellinga is making a tour which has already included a visit to Japan and which will not terminate until after he has conferred with Dutch bankers and Government officials in Holland.

COMMODITY PRICES

Cash prices in the wholesale markets yesterday followed the course of the last week, no decided trend being discernible in any of the staples, advances and declines being mixed. Wheat receded 5½ cents per bushel, but corn, oats and flour were unchanged.

Coffee was up ⅛ of a cent per pound, with sugar unchanged. Butter advanced 1½ cents per pound and eggs rose 1 cent per dozen to a new high for the year.

In the provisions, lard dropped ¼ of a cent. per pound, beef and pork prices unchanged.

In the metals, iron, No. 2 Philadelphia dropped $3 per ton, but tin advanced ½ cent a pound.

No price changes were made in spot cotton or printcloths.

Following are the cash prices for the principal commodities in the wholesale market at the close of business Thursday, a week before and a year ago:

	1920. Dec. 9.	1920. Dec. 2.	1919. Dec. 9.
FOODSTUFFS:			
Wheat, No. 2 red	$1.93	$1.99	$2.50
Corn, No. 2 yellow	1.03½	1.03½	1.75
Oats, No. 2 white	.65	.63	.89
Flour, Minn., patent	9.75	9.25	15.00
Coffee, No. 7 Rio	.07	.07¼	.15¾
Sugar, granulated	.08¾	.08¾	.09
Butter, cream., 92 score	.53½	.57	.73½
Eggs, fresh gathered, firsts, per dozen	.87	.81	.88
Lard, prime	15.60	17.50	26.75
Pork, mess	31.00	31.00	47.00
Beef, family	28.00	28.00	29.00
METALS:			
Iron, 2 X, Phila.	36.50	41.50	40.10
Steel billets, Pitts.	43.50	55.00	45.00
Lead	5.00	4.87½	6.90
Copper	14.00	13.50	18.50
Tin	35.50	33.75	54.25
TEXTILES:			
Cotton, mid. uplands	16.25	16.65	39.45
Printcloths	.06	.06	.13½

Highest and lowest prices thus far in the present year:

	Highest.		Lowest.	
Wheat	$3.25 Jan. 7		$1.79 Nov. 27	
Corn	2.31⅛ May 15		.94½ Nov. 27	
Oats	1.50 May 7		.60 Nov. 22	
Flour	16.25 Jan. 7		9.00 Dec. 1	
Coffee	.16¼ Jan. 11		.06⅜ Nov. 23	
Sugar	.23 July 12		.06⅜ Nov. 25	
Butter	.77 Apr. 24		.51½ Dec. 4	
Eggs	.87 Dec. 9		.42½ Mar. 12	
Lard	23.50 Jan. 9		13.70 Aug. 17	
Pork	47.00 Jan. 2		30.00 Oct. 1	
Beef	28.00 Oct. 19		20.00 May 12	
Iron	53.51 Aug. 31		41.50 Nov. 29	
Steel	65.00 July 23		43.00 Jan. 2	
Lead	9.50 Mar. 15		4.87½ Dec. 2	
Copper	19.50 Jan. 5		13.50 Nov. 29	
Tin	65.25 Jan. 11		33.00 Nov. 30	
Cotton	43.75 July 22		15.50 Nov. 27	
Printcloths	.16¾ Apr. 13		.05½ Nov. 30	

NEW INCORPORATIONS

New York Charters.

Special to the New York Times.

ALBANY, Dec. 9.—Forty-eight new corporations, having an aggregate capitalization of $4,677,200, were chartered today. They include:

Vassar Freres, Manhattan, make smokers' articles, $200,000; J. C. Menard, G. H. Shackley, F. T. Hendl, 537 East 83d St.

Shirley Shirt Co., Manhattan, clothing and haberdashery, $10,000; H. Greif, I. and J. Richman, 632 East 9th St.

Beregh Mfg. Corp., Manhattan, mechanical and electrical engineers, $20,000; J. J. Donovan, F. W. Saltzleder, T. J. Beregh, 461 8th Av.

Halpren Bros. & Schiffman, Manhattan, realty and caterers, $30,000; S. W. Levine, E. D. Dowling, G. Barr, 150 Nassau St.

Duchess Neckwear Corp., Manhattan, $10,000; I. and R. Sackman, E. Struller, 1,140 Broadway.

Composite Tile and Brick Co., Manhattan, $400,000; A. Girtanner, A. G. Wilson, J. H. Gross, 347 5th Av.

Hy-Grade Metal Products Corp., Syracuse, metal stamping, &c., $50,000; D. E. Kinkley, R. P. Thorne, C. J. Couse, Syracuse.

Nuncie Auto Body and Painting Co., Manhattan, $5,000; I. Gordon, M. Pierce, F. Nuncie, 183 East 95th St.

Harlem Stock Exchange, Manhattan, $100,000; R. L. Brown, R. M. Williams, E. L. C. Davidson, 14 Cedar St.

J. Markowitz & Son, Manhattan, babies' outfits, $10,000; R. and L. and J. Markowitz, 1,391 St. Nicholas Av.

Pacquin, parfumeuers, Manhattan, chemicals and toilet articles, $25,000; L. Frantz, H. M. and J. W. Lester, New Rochelle.

Light Bros., Brooklyn, make bedding, $5,000; J. and M. Gordon, S. Girdansky, 133 Debevoise St., Brooklyn.

Cinema Holding Corp., Mount Vernon, $100,000; B. Munves, B. and P. Pakula, 246 East 110th St., Brooklyn.

Haberle Beverage and Products Co., Syracuse, $150,000; F. C. Biehler, C. Schwarz, E. Oawald, Syracuse.

De Boer, Bach & De Boer, Manhattan, make cutlery, $73,000; L. and M. De Boer, E. Bach, 600 West 116th St.

Realty Mercantile Credit Assn., Manhattan, $20,000; H. and C. Steinkamp, H. Bellmer, 140 Nassau St.

General Producers' Corp., Rochester, farming; 350 shares preferred stock, $100 each; 5,000 common, no par value; active capital, $110,000; W. H. Baumer, A. B. Bridgeman, J. A. Barth, Rochester.

19th St. Storage Warehouse, Brooklyn, $20,000; E. T., M. A. and J. E. Cassidy, 1,341 East 23d St., Brooklyn.

L. R. U. Amusement Corp., Brooklyn, $25,000; F. Lightstone, J. Rosenberg, M. Usdansky, 675 East 170th St.

Evva-Kleer Specialty Co., Brooklyn, articles of trade and products, $20,000; H. H. Bailey, C. E. Rogers, G. B. Roach, 2,053 East 15th St., Brooklyn.

Diamond Auto Parts Co., Brooklyn, $25,000; F. P. Walsh, S. H. Elsler, M. Hochman, 202 Green St., Brooklyn.

Prague Button Co., Manhattan, $8,000; M. L. Levins, L. Frank, F. A. Albrecht, Freeport, L. I.

Ess & Kay Lunch Co., Manhattan, $20,000; S. and J. Kruh, A. Siegel, 164 5th Av.

Sonne Bros., Utica, hardware, 200 shares common stock, no par value; active capital, $20,000; E., H. and R. Kann, Utica.

Beckerman & Sandman, Manhattan, women's apparel, $8,800; J. Kaplan, L. Greenberg, C. Beckerman, 21 West 19th St.

Crystal Casket Corp., Buffalo, $500,000; J. P. and D. R. Hill, H. Schmitz, Buffalo.

Bedford Music Co., Brooklyn, $20,000; M. Greenglick, M. E. Warner, W. L. Morehouse, 50 Court St., Brooklyn.

B. Nicoll & Co., Manhattan, coal, steel and timber, 20,000 shares common stock, no par value; active capital, $2,000,000; H. Mabel, J. Truesdale, C. Nicoll, 149 Broadway.

A. B. C. Shops, Manhattan, men's clothing, $10,000; J. K. Davidson, L. Wax, T. D. Brown, 1,166 Putnam Av., Brooklyn.

C. B. Logan, Manhattan, women's garments, $5,000; H. B. Wupper, V. M. and C. S. Logan, 849 West 178th St.

A. Suskind Raw Fur Co., Manhattan, $5,000; I. H. Monoson, H. R. and A. Suskind, Rockaway.

Woodite Products Mfg. Co., Manhattan, toys, &c., $75,000; G. Magnani, L. Divizio, C. M. Rich, 1,234 Boston Road, Bronx.

3,048 Park Av. Realty Co., Manhattan, $5,000; A. and R. Katz, L. Cohen, 1,243 39th St., Brooklyn.

S. and S. Machine Co., Manhattan, $10,000; E. G. Sjogren, T. and A. J. Saxon, 1,418 Mermaid Av., Brooklyn.

Edward W. Elgin Co., Manhattan, dye and cleaning, $5,000; J. V. and J. T. and E. W. Elgin, 226 East 51st St.

General Hardware Co., Manhattan, $150,000; W. H. Sterling, J. M. Kohlmeier, J. B. Scharfenberg, 135 Myrtle Av., Brooklyn.

Patricia Petticoat Co., Manhattan, $25,000; H. C. Lindgren, H. G. Peppard, A. Burstein, 709 Lafayette Av., Brooklyn.

Superadio Corp., Bronx, supplies, $50,000; H. M. Picken, E. J. Quinby, V. H. Cockaday, 2,674 Bailey Av., Bronx.

Rockaway Dairy Products, Manhattan, $10,000; A. Kerster, W. Rosner, R. Goldfeder, Rockaway Beach.

S. and W. Embroidery Works, Manhattan, $10,000; N. Schneider, A. Wahrenberg, A. J. Wolkenberg, 891 Tiffany St., Bronx.

Consumers Export Co., Manhattan, merchandise, $10,000; S. R. Lash, L. Libertius, M. Demarsico, 61 Mott St., Brooklyn.

Seaboard Textile Co., Manhattan, $75,000; L. Sable, V. Panoff, H. A. Cone, 51 Chambers St.

CAPITAL INCREASES.

Levy, Weiner & Co., Manhattan, $14,000 to $75,000.

Benjamin Korndorfer & Hastings, Manhattan, $8,000 to $10,000.

Superior Tobacco Co., Manhattan, $165,000 to $500,000.

Watt & Sinclair, Manhattan, $10,000 to $50,000.

M. Wilber Dyer Co., Millbrook, $150,000 to $330,000.

Associated Service Corp., Buffalo, carry on business with $275,000 and 5,000 shares common stock, no par value, and 2,500 preferred stock, $100 each.

L. B. Schindler Shoe Co., Lake Wacoabuc, $10,000 to $150,000.

Robertson Cataract Electric Co., Buffalo, $1,500,000 to $3,000,000.

Conrad Hosiery, Bronx, $25,000 to $60,000.

REORGANIZATIONS.

Huguet Silk Co., Hornell, carry on business with $600,000 and 12,300 shares common stock, no par value.

Black River Securities Corp., Watertown, carry on business with $110,000 and 1,000 shares preferred stock, $100 each, and 2,000 common, no par value.

Pacific Development Corp., Manhattan, carry on business with $7,500,000 and 500,000 shares common stock, no par value.

DESIGNATIONS.

Adams Trailer Corp., Del., 1,500 shares preferred stock, $100 each; 1,500 common, no par value; rep., G. C. Adams, 125 East 46th St.

World Motion Picture Corp., Del., 10,000 shares preferred stock, $100 each; 50,000 common, no par value; rep., A. Walker, 500 5th Av.

Coale & Co., Maryland, operate coal lands, $1,000,000; rep., H. W. Oswald, 11 Stone St.

Simplex Utilities Corp., Del., mechanical engineers, 100,000 shares common stock, no par value; rep., J. L. Blum, 360 Madison Av.

Paul Kurtze, Mass., hides and skins, $25,000; rep., P. Kurtze, 114 West 26th St.

Electro Refractories Corp., Del., mining and milling, $200,000; rep., L. U. Millward, Buffalo.

Industrial Promotion Corp., Del., agents, &c., 1,000 shares preferred stock, $100 each; 2,500 common, no par value; rep., E. P. Swans, Buffalo.

United Auto Stores, Del., $25,000; rep., N. Cordish, 220 West 42d St.

Wilson-Jones Loose Leaf Co., Ill., new rep., W. H. Thompson, 316 Hudson St.

NAME CHANGES.

Alfred Fanti Co., Manhattan, to Cowdery & Co.

G. H. Hutchins & Co., Manhattan, to Pinewall Corp.

L. H. Glenn Co., Buffalo, to Glenn-Reimers Co.

Lafayette-Buffalo, Buffalo, to Kane Motors.

Alexander Tanning and Dyeing Works, Brooklyn, to Alexander Works.

DISSOLUTIONS.

Wade, Robinson & Co., Manhattan.

Low Import and Export Co., Manhattan.

Pickford Dress Co., Manhattan.

Goodale, Perry & Dwight, Manhattan.

Central Consumers' Wine and Liquor Co., Manhattan.

World Motion Picture Co., Manhattan.

Coopersburg Silk Co., Manhattan.

Automobile Fur Coat Co., Manhattan.

Rivoli Motor Service, Manhattan.

Silnik Auto Corp., Buffalo.

Novelty Fibre Furniture Co., Canisteo.

Delaney Forge and Iron Co., Buffalo.

Saks Shoe Co., Brooklyn.

New Jersey Charters.

Special to The New York Times.

TRENTON, Dec. 9.—New charters granted:

White Lake Chemical Co., Jersey City, $100,000; H. A. Black, C. J. Sk

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An estimate of the earnings of the new Pacific Oil Company and the effect of the segregation of the oil properties on the Southern Pacific Company featured in current issue of the "Financial Forecast."

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I.R.T. OWES $7,000,000 RECEIVER UNLIKELY.

President Hedley Hopeful That Company Will "Live Over" First of the Year.

RECEIPTS GREW 10 PERCENT.

Company Now Depends Solely on Traffic and Is Worse Off Than a Year Ago.

Representatives of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company said yesterday that in addition to $4,000,000 interest due on bonds on Jan. 1, the company also owes $3,000,000 for materials and supplies. It was stated that while the interest could be delayed under the law for ninety days, failure to pay the other bills promptly might lead to suits by creditors, which might in time force the company into the hands of a receiver. An official statement was to the effect that all of the smaller creditors had been dealing with the company for many years, that they had always been treated considerately and that it was possible that some adjustment would be made with them. It was learned that during the year traffic returns have increased about 10 per cent., which did not meet increased operating costs, so that the financial condition of the company was worse now than a year ago.

Then, it was pointed out, the company had some real estate which was sold, and money was borrowed from the Interborough Consolidated Company, the holding concern. But now, it was said, there remains only the traffic receipts to depend on.

Frank Hedley, President of the company, said only that he was hopeful that the company would be able to live over the first of the year and to avoid a receivership.

NEW H. H. FRANKLIN STOCK.

Syracuse Firm to Issue $1,500,000 in Preferred.

Special to The New York Times.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 9.—The H. H. Franklin Manufacturing Company will issue an additional $1,500,000 in new preferred stock. The proceeds of the sale will be used for working capital, Harold E. Pfeffer, manager of stock sales for the Franklin Company, announced today.

He explained that the original intention of the Franklin Company was to issue $5,000,0000 in new preferred stock, and it had disposed of $3,500,000 of this when the condition of the securities market became such that it was decided to postpone offering the remainder.

The $1,500,000 now to be issued is the balance of the $5,000,000 originally decided on.

Direction of England's Trade.

During the first nine months of 1920, by the Board of Trade's computations, excess of exports over imports in England's trade with the rest of Europe was £137,300,000, against £47,700,000 excess of imports for the same period in 1914. In trade with the United States, the nine-months' excess om imports was £327,500,000 this year as against £44,000,000 in 1914; in trade with the British Dominions the import excess was £56,500,000 in 1920 and £1,400,000 in 1914. With other foreign countries imports exceeded exports by £66,800,000 this year and by £1,600,000 in 1914.

EARNINGS.

Public Utilities.

NASHVILLE RAILWAY AND LIGHT CO.—

	1920.	1919.	Inc.
September gross.	$279,189	$274,181	$5,008
Net after taxes..	9,376	60,125	*50,749
Deficit after chgs	31,672	30,021	61,693
12 mos. gross...	3,564,495	3,150,791	413,704
Net after taxes..	684,644	802,174	*117,530
Sur. after chgs..	205,030	329,200	*124,170
Bal. aft. pf. divs	80,630	204,200	*124,170

*Decreases. †Surplus.

TENNESSEE POWER COMPANY—

September gross.	208,192	161,296	46,896
Net after taxes..	70,500	20,616	39,884
Sur. after chgs..	16,111	*23,017	39,128
12 mos. gross...	2,372,002	2,247,253	124,749
Net after taxes..	963,239	883,419	79,820
Sur. after chgs..	319,692	238,870	80,822

*Deficit.

METAL MARKETS REPORT.

These prices were quoted on the local Metal Exchange yesterday:

	Yesterday. Bid.	Asked.	Wednesday. Bid.	Asked.
Antimony	5.62½	5.87½	5.62½	5.87½
Quicksilver	..	$50.00	..	$55.00
Aluminium	24.00	25.00	24.00	25.00
Iron, No. 2X silicon	..	44.00	..	44.00

London quotations were:

	Yesterday. £	s.	d.	Wednesday. £	s.	d.
Copper, spot	79	15	0	81	10	0
Copper, futures	79	7	6	81	5	0
Tin, spot	228	0	0	225	10	0
Tin, futures	232	0	0	229	10	0
Spelter, spot	31	10	0	32	10	0
Spelter, futures	32	2	6	33	15	0
Lead, spot	26	0	0	26	5	0
Lead, futures	26	15	0	27	0	0

MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO.

COMSTOCKS.		Dividend	
Alpha	.60	East Divide	.02
Andes	.50	Extension	.50
Best & Belcher	.18	Florence	.45
Challenge	1.20	Gold Reef	.04
Confidence	1.80	Harmill	.21
Con. Virginia	3.35	Hasbrouck	.03
Gould & Curry	.07	Kernick	.09
Hale & Norcross	.18	Myra	.02
Imperial	.70	Revert	.04
Jacket	.20	Silver	.02
Mexican	.17	Verdi	.04
Ophir	.34	Victory	.04
Overman	.30	West	.04
Savage	.10	Western	.02
Seg. Belcher	.14	Zone	.22
Scorpion	.04	GOLDFIELD.	
Sierra Nevada	.05	Booth	.02
Union	.31	Consolidated	.06
Utah	.03	Crackerjack	.03
TONOPAH.		Florence	.10
Belmont	1.40	Jumbo Ext	.04
Cash Boy	.06	Kewanaa	.02
Jim Butler	.05	Lone Star	.04
MacNamara	.17	Silver Pick	.03
Midway	.09	Spearhead	.02
Monarch	.08	OTHER DISTRICTS.	
North Star	.03	Arrowhead	.06
Rescue	.23	Black Mammoth	.05
Tonopah Ext	1.35	Broken Hills	.10
Tonopah, '76	.05	Bullwhacker	.50
West End	.96	Climax	.04
West Tonopah	.04	Crocesus	.44
DIVIDE.		Holly	1.47½
Alto	.04	Round Mountain	.15
Belcher	.03	Simon	.77
Belcher Ext	.04	Sterling	.03
Brougher	.13	Uncle Sam	.15
Divide Tonopah	1.25	White Caps	.06

COLORADO SPRINGS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Cresson	1¼	1⅝	Isabella	3⅝	4
Doctor	4⅛	4½	Mary McK.	3½	5
Hilton	2⅜	2⅝	Portland	40	50
El Paso	9	10	U. Gold M.	8	11
Gold. Cycle	63	63½	Vindicator	10	16
Granite	7	11	Rose Nicol	4½	5⅝

SUBSCRIPTION RIGHTS.

	Rights Expire.	Yester- day's Bid.	Wednes- day's Ask.	Bid.
Consol. Textile	Dec. 7	..	⅛	..
Corn Exch. Bank	Feb. 3	42	45	42
Detroit Edison	Jan. 10	..	1	..
General Election	Jan. 20	3⅛	3⅞	4⅛
General Asphalt	Dec. 16	⅛	½	⅝
Goldwyn Picture	Jan. 15	..	⅛	..
Home Insurance	..	170	172	169
Landis, Frary & Cl'k	Dec. 20	3½	4¼	3½
Shaw (W. W.)	..	17½	20	17½
So. N. E. Tele	Jan. 25	..	..	..
Southern Pacific	Mar. 1	22⅞	23	23⅛
Tidewater Oil	Jan. 19	18	15	18
Unl. Zinc Smelt, Co.	..	⅛	..	⅛

CURB TRANSACTIONS

INDUSTRIALS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
3,700	†Acme Coal	1⅛	1	1⅛
200	†Aetna Expl	9¼	9⅛	9⅛
350	†Air Reduc	41⅛	40	41⅛
100	†Alum Mfg	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝
100	†Am Candy	5	5	5
100	†Am Ha S S	40	40	40
100	Borden	85¼	85	85¼
350	†Br-Am Ch	4½	4⅝	4½
100	†Br-Am Tob certificates	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛
300	†Car L. & P	2⅜	2¼	2⅜
500	†Chalm Mot	1	1	1
200	†Crude Chem	1¼	1	1⅛
900	†Emp T & S 1st	19	18⅝	18⅝
100	†Farrell Coal 1st	18	18	18
450	†Gardner Mo	17	17	17
6,000	†Gen Asph	39½	37½	38
250	†Goldw Pict	4½	4½	4½
1,300	†Heyden Ch	2⅞	2¾	2¾
6,000	Indian Pack	4	3⅝	3⅝
300	†Kay Co G	1¼	1¼	1¼
50	†Mfrs L & H 1st	51	51	51
100	†Nat Motor	5	5	5
4,000	N A P & F	4⅝	4½	4½
100	†Peer Motors	20½	20½	20½
900	Perfect Tire	1¼	1⅛	1⅛
1,500	†Radio w i	2¼	2	2
1,700	† Do pf w i	2⅝	2½	2⅝
200	†Roy de Fr'co T P, Inc	3⅞	3¾	3⅞
100	†Stan Gas pf	33	33	33
6,000	†Sweets of A	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
500	†Swift Inter	26½	26½	26½
300	†Tob Pr Exp	8	7½	7½
3,500	Un Prof Sh	1⅜	1⅛	1⅛
1,500	†URS Candy	8¼	8¼	8¼
250	U S Distrib	36	36	36
300	U S Ship	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
900	U S St'ship	1¼	1¼	1¼
100	†Wm Davies 2d	28	28	28
380	†Willys Ist pf	27½	26	26¾

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES.

300	†Ang-Am Oil	18¾	18⅝	18⅝	40	†St Oil N Y	356	354	356
10	†So Penn Oil	243	243	243	500	†Un T L pf	96	96	96

MISCELLANEOUS OIL STOCKS.

6,500	†Allied Oil	15	14	14	3,000	†Lyons Pet	1¼	1¼	1¼
1,800	†Boone Oil	1⅝	1½	1⅝	2,800	†M'calbo Oil	16¼	15½	15⅝
3,500	†Best-Wyo	⅛	⅛	⅛	500	†Merritt Oil	12	11⅞	12
4,000	†Carib Synd	9⅞	9	9⅞	4,200	Mexico Oil	1⅜	1⅛	1⅜
500	†Cities Serv B T Sh	31	31	31	450	†Midw Ref	146	144	144
500	†Cosden & Co	6	6	6	2,200	†Midw Texas	⅛	⅛	⅛
3,500	†Cushing Pet	½	½	½	8,000	Noble O & G	11	½	½
1,000	†Denny Oil	1¼	1¼	1¼	500	O O & G, new	2¾	2¾	2¾
100	†Domin Oil	8¼	8¼	8¼	200	†Pennok Oil	6	6	6
2,400	†Elk B Pet	3⅛	3	3⅛	1,500	†Prod & Ref	5¼	4¾	4¾
2,300	Engin Pet	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	2,100	†Ryan C w i	14¼	13	13
5,000	†Esmer Oil	⅛	⅛	⅛	100	†Salt Ck Pr	28	28	28
1,000	Federal Oil	2¼	2¼	2¼	200	† Do new	10¼	10	10¼
400	†Pensland Oil	13	12¾	12¾	6,800	†Simms Pet	7⅞	7	7
600	†Glenrock Oil	2⅛	2	2⅛	100	†Spencer Pet	9½	9⅛	9⅛
1,200	†Guffey-Gill	26	26	26	9,600	†Tex O & L	⅝	½	½
800	†Hudson Oil	⅛	⅛	⅛	2,200	†Victoria Oil	1¼	1	1¼
7,000	†Inter Pet	16½	15¾	16	200	†Vulcan Oil	¾	¾	¾
1,000	†Lyons Oil	8¼	8	8	2,500	†W'dburn Oil	1½	1	1¼

MINING STOCKS.

16,500	Alas-B C Mst	⅛	⅛	⅛	2,700	†Jumbe Ext	5½	5	5
200	†America	1	1	1	2,300	†Kewanaa	2⅛	2	2
3,000	†Atlanta	1½	1	1½	7,500	†Knox Div	10	9⅝	10
2,500	†Belcher Div (a pros)	3	3	3	5,000	†Lone St Con	4¼	4¼	4¼
3,700	†Belcher Ext (a pros)	4½	4	4½	1,000	†Manh Min	¾	¾	¾
4,000	†Big Ledge	⅛	⅛	⅛	3,000	Magma Cop	19½	17	17
7,000	†Booth	2½	3	3½	2,300	†Marsh Min	8	7	7⅛
7,000	†Bos & Mont	42	40	42	2,800	Nipissing	⅞	⅞	⅞
3,200	†Caledonia	18	17	18	600	Ophir Silver	2¼	2	2
8,200	†Candelaria	15	14	14	500	Prince Con	⅛	⅛	⅛
2,800	†Cashboy	6½	6¼	6½	1,200	RayVerdeCop	1	1	1
1,500	Con Vir Stk	¾	¾	¾	2,300	Roper-Group	⅛	⅛	⅛
2,500	†Cortez Sil	64	62	64	2,700	†Silver Flak	6	5	5½
1,600	Cresson Con	1¼	1⅛	1¼	1,300	St Croix Stk	⅞	⅞	⅞
2,500	†Darwin Stk	2	2	2	200	Std Sil-Lead	⅞	⅞	⅞
4,200	DivEx(pros)	32	31	31	2,500	†SuccessMin	2½	2	2½
400	El Sal Silver	⅝	⅝	⅝	1,700	†SutherldDiv	2½	2	2
3,000	Emma Silver	3	3	3	650	†Talapoosas	⅛	..	..
15,000	†EurekaCroe	47	43	47	370	†Tono Belm't	1¼	1¼	1¼
2,200	†Eure Holly	⅛	⅛	⅛	3,350	†Tono Divide	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
5,000	†Forty-nine	⅛	⅛	⅛	600	Tonopah Ext	1½	1½	1½
1,270	†Gold Z Div	24	22½	23	3,600	†TonoMining	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
2,700	†Goldf'dCon	5½	5	5	3,250	UnitedEast	2½	2½	2½
7,500	†Goldf'dDev	2	1½	2	2,500	†Victory Div (a pros)	5	4¼	4¼
2,000	†Great Bend	1	1	1	2,600	†W End Con	1	⅞	1
4,500	†HarmDiv	25	20	25	1,500	†White Caps	6¼	6	6¼
750	Hecla Mining	4⅝	4¼	4¼	3,200	Wilbert Min	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
2,300	†Jim Butler	16	15	16	200	†Yukon Gold	1¼	1¼	1¼

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$30,000	†Allied Packers 6s	53	51¾	52½
1,000	†Aluminium Mfg 7s	96	96	96
20,000	†Am Tel & Tel 6s, 1922	94¾	94½	94⅝
20,000	†Am Tel & Tel, 1924	93½	93	93
55,000	†Anaconda Cop 7s, w i	91	90¼	90⅝
40,000	†Armour 7⅛, w i	95⅞	94¾	94¾
10,000	†Beth Steel 7⅛, 1935, w i	95½	94¾	94¾
9,000	†Can Nat Ry 7⅛, 1935	101	100¼	100¼
125,000	†Con Gas 8s	98¾	98⅛	98⅛
30,000	†Denmark 8s	97¾	97	97½
5,000	†Diamond Match 7⅛	104½	100	100½
1,000	†Galena Signal Oil 7⅛	93½	93½	93½
15,000	†Goodrich 7⅛, 1925, w i	87½	87½	87½
7,000	†Govt of Sweden 6s	88	87½	87½
15,000	†Grand Trunk 7s	100¼	100	100⅜
84,000	†Inter Rap Tran 7s	68	65	65
12,000	†Kennecott Copper 7s	91½	90¾	90¾
30,000	†Kingdom of Norway, w i	99¾	99¾	99¾
5,000	†Laclede Gas Light 7s	89	89	89
25,000	N Y, N H & H 4%s	67	65	65
15,000	†Ohio Cities Gas, 1922	94¾	94¼	94¼
10,000	†Ohio Cities Gas 7% '23	93	92¾	92¾
15,000	†Ohio Cities Gas, 1925	92	91	91
35,000	†Seaboard Air Line 6%	48	45½	46½
5,000	†Sears-Roebuck 7s (1 yr)	97¾	97¾	97¾
5,000	†Sears-Roebuck 7s (2 yr)	94¼	94¼	94¼
15,000	†Sears-Roebuck 7s (3 yr)	94¾	94	94¼
30,000	Sinclair 7½%	90	89½	89½
50,000	†Solvay & Cie 8s	99½	99¼	99¼
1	†Southwest Tel 7%	93	93	93
17,000	†Swift & Co. 7s, 1925	92¾	90¾	92
10	†Swiss Govt 5½s	86¾	86¾	86¾
10,000	†Texas Co 7% notes	97¼	97¼	97¼
20,000	†Union Tank Line 7s	100¼	100	100¼
10,000	†Western Elec 7s	99	98⅞	98⅞

GERMAN BONDS.

Marks.		High.	Low.	Last.
10,000	†Berlin 4s	12	12	12
25,000	†German Govt 4s	10	10	10
70,000	†Hamburg 4½s	13⅜	13⅛	13⅜

*Odd lot. †Sells cents per share. ‡Unlisted.

PUBLIC UTILITIES

Sales.		High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked.
	765 Cities Service	264	250	258	263
	2,305 Cities Service pf	64¼	63⅝	64	64½
	3,841 Cities Service pf. B	6¼	5½	6	6¼
	4,818 Cities Service bk. shares	31⅜	30¾	31	31½
$27,600	Cities Service deb. B	129	123	125	130
	39,200 Cities Service deb. C	92¼	89¾	90	92
	23,000 Cities Service deb. D	86	85	84	86
	520 Empire Gas and Fuel pf	84¼	84	84	86

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Am Gas & Electric	39½	39¾	Galveston-Hous Elec pf	82	86
Am Gas & Electric pf	34	36	Miss River Power	11	14
Am Light & Traction	106	108¾	Miss River Power pf	58	62
Am Light & Trac pf	78	80	Northern States Power	..	..
Am Power & Light	45	50	North States Power pf	76	81
Am Power & Light pf	1	63	Northern Texas Elec	71	76
Am W W & Electric	2	3	North Texas Elec pf	65	70
Am W W & Elec 1st pf	40	42	Pacific Gas & Elec pf	77	79½
Am W W & Elec partic	5	7	Puget Sound Pow & Lt	15¼	18
Appalachian Power	1	5	Puget Sd Pow & Lt pf	55	58
Appalachian Power pf	15	24	Republic Ry & Light	7½	8
Carolina Power & Lt	30	34	Republic Ry & Light pf	20	23
Colorado Power	9½	11	Southern Cal Edison	88½	88
Colorado Power pf	82	87	Southern Cal Edison pf	96	100
Columbia Electric pf	55	57	Standard Gas & Elec	10¾	11⅜
Com Power, Ry & Lt	10	13	Standard Gas & E pf	33	34½
Com Power, Ry & Lt pf	33	35	Tampa Electric	108	112
Conn Power pf	74	78	Tenn Ry, Lt & Power	1	1¼
Eastern Texas Electric	65½	70	Tenn Ry, Lt & Pow pf	2	4
Eastern Texas Elec pf	66	70	United Light & Rys	18	22
El Paso Electric	82	86	United Light & Rys pf	53	56
Electric Bon Sh pf	79	81	Western Power	19	20½
Federal Light & Trac	8	7¼	Utah Securities	81¼	81¾
Federal Lt & Trac pf	43	49	Western Power pf	59	60¼
Galveston-Hous Elec	25	..			

Bonds.

Am W W & E col 5s	50	52	Miss Riv Pow 5s, '51
Appalachian 1st 5s, '41	65	70	Nor States Pow 5s, '41
Cin Gas & Elec 5s, '56	80	85	Nor States Pow 6s, '26
Col Gas & El deb 5s, '27	78	80	Scattle Electric 5s, '20
Col Gas & El 1st 5s, '27	80	83	Stand Gas & E 6s, '35
Conn Power 5s, '63	73	..	Stand Gas & E 7s, '21
Dallas Electric 5s, '22	100	..	Stand Gas 6s, '26
East. Tex Elec 6s, '43	79	80	Utah Securities
Empire Gas & El 6s, '24	84	86	West States G&E 5s, '41
Midwest Utilities 6s, '25	85	90	

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS

	Yester- day. Bid.	Wed's- day. Ask.	Bid.
Am Brass	166	172	167
Am Chicle	28	29	29
Do pf	64	70	64
Amal Leather	..	25	9
Do pf	48	60	50
Am Light & Trac	106	108	107
Do pf	80	83	80
Atlas Powder	120	130	122
Do pf	75	77	74
Babcock & Wilcox	103	105	103
Borden & Co	84	86	85¼
Do pf	80	82	80
Childs Co	76	80	76
Do pf	86	90	88
Crocker-Wheeler	..	90	95
Draper Corp	122¼	126½	122¼
Du Pont	161	166	167
Do pf	76¼	78½	76¼
E W Bliss	250	300	250
Do pf	..	60	..
Gil Safety Razor	132	135	135

	Yester- day. Bid.	Wed's- day. Ask.	Bid.
Hercules	193	200	193
Do 1st pf	91	93	91
Illinois Trac	14	17	14
Do pf	58	63	58
Ingersoll-Rand	155	165	155
Do pf	96	99	96
Merck	..	80	..
Merrimac Chem	78	80	78
New Jersey Zinc	138	143	143
Niles-Bem't-Pond	70	72	71
Do pf	..	100	..
Northern Securities	80	90	90
Royal Bak Powder	104	110	108
Do pf	80	82	80
Scovil Mfg	300	330	310
Singer Mfg	140	154	149
Stand Screw Co	220	240	..
Van Raalte	20	24	24
Do pf	50	66	50
Valvo Oil 1st cv pf	97	100	97

STANDARD OIL STOCKS

	Yester- day. Bid.	Wed's- day. Ask.	Bid.
Anglo-Am Oil, Ltd	18½	19	19¼
Atlantic Lobos	18	23	20
Do pf	55	65	65
Borne-Scrymser	400	420	400
Buckeye Pipe Line	83	85	84
Chesebrough Mfg	196	210	195
Do pf	100	102	100
Continental Oil	110	113	110
Crescent Pipe Line	28	30	28
Cumberland P L	125	135	125
Eureka Pipe Line	90	100	90
Galena Signal Oil	40	50	45
Do pf, new	88	92	88
Do pf, old	90	94	90
Illinois Pipe Line	155	160	155
Imperial Oil, Ltd	96	100	98
Indiana Pipe Line	84	86	85
Int Pet Co, Ltd	15¾	16¼	16⅜
National Transit	24	26	25
New York Transit	160	165	160
Northern Pipe Line	98	102	99
Ohio Oil Co	286	290	288

	Yester- day. Bid.	Wed's- day. Ask.	Bid.
Penn-Mex Fuel	38	40	38
Prairie Oil & Gas	500	510	500
Prairie Pipe Line	200	210	200
Solar Refining	360	390	380
Southern Pipe L	100	103	100
South Penn Oil	245	255	248
S W Penn P L	80	85	80
Stand Oil of Cal	321	325	318
Stand Oil of Ind	710	720	715
Do new	..	..	285
Do 25% pay	72	74	72
Stand Oil of Kan	600	625	600
Stand Oil of Ky	440	460	450
Stand Oil of Neb	410	450	410
Stand Oil of N Y	355	360	353
Stand Oil of Ohio	400	415	400
Do pf	102	105	103
Swan & Finch	45	60	45
Union Tank Car	102	108	103
Do pf	95	98	95
Vacuum Oil	313	317	317
Washington Oil	30	35	30

SUGAR STOCKS

	Yester- day. Bid.	Wed's- day. Ask.	Bid.
Caracas Sugar	40	45	40
Central Aguirre	60	65	62
Central Sugar	13	15	13
Do pf	40	50	40
Fajardo	95	100	95
Federal Sugar	100	105	100
Do pf	100	105	100
Godchaux	25	30	25
Do pf	70	76	70

	Yester- day. Bid.	Wed's- day. Ask.	Bid.
Great Western	300	320	306
Do pf	107	112	107
Holly	30	33	30
Do pf	88	92	88
Nat Sugar Ref	120	125	120
Santa Cecelia	40	60	45
Savannah	20	40	20
Do pf	45	60	45
West India	85	89	85

TOBACCO STOCKS

	Yester- day. Bid.	Wed's- day. Ask.	Bid.
Am Cigar	85	90	85
Do scrip	78	84	78
Am Tobacco scrip	96	100	97
Geo W Helme	150	160	150
Do pf	90	95	90
J S Young	135	..	..
Do pf	85	90	98
MacA & Forbes	108	112	107
Do pf	77	84	77

	Yester- day. Bid.	Wed's- day. Ask.	Bid.
Porto Rico-Am	92	100	92
Do scrip	85	100	85
R J Reynolds, A, new	84	90	84
Do B, new	33	36	33
Do pf	100	102	100
United Leaf Tob	145	160	145
Do pf	94	98	94
Weyman-Bruton	150	180	150
Do pf	90	96

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The Tariff and Exchange.

The suggestion put forward that duties be levied on the basis of pre-war exchange values strikes mill men in the woolen industry as equivalent to a stiff advance in tariff rates. It has been figured out that, in regulating the payment of duties on such a basis, there would be an increase in the total cost of imported woolens, amounting to some 75 per cent. In line with this discussion, it has been pointed out that the exchange fluctuations have a direct bearing on present or prospective tariffs. In woolens and clothing now, the difference in exchange between this country and England practically wipes out the tariff, and an increase in rates might easily result in a further depreciation which would balance the duty advance.

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Woolens at Dullest Stage.

Men with long experience in the woolen industry fail to recall a time when the market was in so dull a state as at present. For this very reason, the situation is expected to show some improvement soon. The labor crisis in the clothing trade is not helping the outlook, however, though the mill representatives realize that, if the clothiers are able to secure more advantageous production rates, the industry will be helped. Surplus stocks still hang over the market and, until they are cleared, the trade sees no immediate prospect of relief. The mill operators, however, are cheered by the reports of good holiday buying and, if the consumer strike against prices is ended, they see a restored outlet for their products.

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S. L. Feiber Gets Loving Cup.

A silver loving cup was presented yesterday to Samuel L. Feiber, Manager of the Bureau on Contracts of the Silk Association of America, at a luncheon given in his honor at the Hotel Astor. About forty-five members of the bureau were present. The bureau was organized on May 17, of this year and has successfully controlled cancellations in the silk trade. Mr. Feiber, a retired silk merchant, offered his services in a managerial capacity without compensation.

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Silk Hosiery Situation.

Jobbers of silk hosiery claim to be offering goods at below what the mills ask for Spring. The wholesalers, it seems, count on lower replacement costs but at the same time believe these cannot be effected unless labor agrees to take less. From a selling standpoint at present, about the only transactions recorded are those where "distress" goods are sold. Even in the case of such merchandise, retail buyers are reported as reluctant operators and hesitate to name low prices because such offers may be met. The market knows of rebates amounting to over 50 per cent. where manufacturers could see no other way of facilitating the movement of goods. Orders at present are placed in five dozen lots mainly for "filling in" purposes.

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Raw Silk More Active.

The local raw silk market is showing a more active spirit and there is noted, in the report of H. L. Gwalter & Co. an increased demand from the mills. Individual transactions, however, are yet limited in size and the business is of a purely hand-to-mouth character. Prices of raw silk are still depressed and showing considerable irregularity, chiefly in consequence of the weakness of certain Japanese holders, who temporarily are underselling the Imperial Syndicate, and because of certain distressed stocks, which continue to make themselves felt as a disturbing factor in the local market. At the same time, the decline of the silver exchange has brought about a further revision of the prices of Shanghai and Canton silks during the last week.

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Selling at Retail Openly.

One of the effects of dull business here has been to encourage wholesalers in several trades openly to sell to consumers in competition with the retail stores. Particularly does this appear to be the case with concerns which do not sell goods to the local stores to any extent. Since Thanksgiving a number of signs reading "Positively no goods sold at retail" have disappeared from show windows of wholesalers located on well-traveled thoroughfares. On some of the side streets open bids for consumer trade are made by wholesalers with ground-floor showrooms by means of signs asserting that goods are retailed here at wholesale prices. Even when consumers really do get the goods, at wholesale figures, which is not always—or even often—the case, their business is attractive in a dull period. Not only do they pay cash, but no discounts are given and general selling expenses are eliminated. When business is good, however, consumer customers are regarded as nuisances.

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Are Using the Wrong System.

Although, for the most part, holiday business in the retail stores is progressing satisfactorily, signs are becoming visible that the "hold-off" contingent among the shoppers is greater than for several years. This is said to be due largely to the practice of some stores of reducing the prices of their goods—especially of gift merchandise—as the holiday approaches and the possibility of their sale at the original prices decreases. In doing this, it was pointed out yesterday, these stores work strongly against a thing they have been advocating for years—early Christmas shopping. The early shopper under the present system is penalized financially for shopping early. It is asserted that the cure for this is either to adopt some method of giving refunds to early buyers if prices are cut, or not to cut them until after Christmas.

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Workers Were Willing to Help.

One of the best-known manufacturing concerns in New England recently announced to its employes that because of the present condition of business and the difficulties of financing, it would be necessary to close the plant for a few weeks. It was also announced that when work was resumed it would be at the wage rates prevailing when the shut-down occurred. A day or two after the announcement was made, a committee of employes came to one of the concern's executives and told him they had raised about $75,000, in cash, which they would be glad to advance on any terms of interest or time of repayment which the concern desired to make. As a counter-proposal, they offered to work two months without payment of wages to tide over the "tight" period, the payment to be made when the situation cleared. Although unable to make use of either offer the executive in question yesterday cited the instance as one of the most unusual examples of co-operation he had ever heard of.

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Gray Goods Still Dull.

No really active buying of gray goods took place in this market yesterday, although more attention was given to sheetings than has been the case of late. Deliveries were confined to this month. Five-yard sheetings were sold at 7½ cents, 5.50s at 6¾ cents and 6.15s at 6¾ cents. About the only business of any importance in print-cloths was done in 38½-inch, 64-60s at 7⅝ cents. The acceptance of this price by sellers confirmed rumors of the previous day.

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Many Men of Many Minds.

Asked yesterday if he had taken any contract business at present prices, one of the prominent factors in the gray goods trade asserted that he had not. To do so, he said, would mean operating at a loss, and that he was not in business for that purpose. Another man, equally as prominent, was later asked the same question. He replied that he had, and added: "There won't be anything in it for the mill, but we have several hundred operatives we must take care of this Winter. If we shut down they would be 'up against it' badly."

No Fire at the Lucca Restaurant.

The fire at 108 West Forty-fourth Street on last Tuesday evening, the alarm for which was turned in by B. A. Rissetto, manager of the Lucca Restaurant at 110 West Forty-fourth Street, was confined to the rear of the neighboring store. The flames did not reach the restaurant.

GARMENT MAKERS MEET.

Cost Accounting and Contract Observance Are Discussed.

The campaign of the International Association of Garment Manufacturers for the standardization of cost accounting methods throughout the entire garment and clothing industry was outlined yesterday at the convention of that organization, taking place at the Waldorf-Astoria, by F. L. Sweetser of the Dutchess Manufacturing Company of Poughkeepsie, who is Chairman of the Uniform Cost Accounting Committee. W. R. Bassett of Miller, Franklin, Bassett & Co., industrial engineers, who is supervising the work of developing uniform cost finding methods, went into the details of the work. The afternoon session of the association was devoted to meetings of the various groups representing manufacturers of similar lines of apparel.

Before the general meeting of the manufacturers, Jacob W. Mack of the Rauh & Mack Shirt Company, Cincinnati, President of the organization, delivered an address emphasizing the need of contract observance by both buyer and seller. Stanley A. Sweet of Sweet, Orr & Co., Chairman of the Board of Directors, foresees a definite improvement in business. He advised cautious preparation for the increased business which may be expected at any time. Arthur Schwab, Director of the Bureau of Factory Practice and Industrial Relations, described the functions of that body and urged the development of its program of cutting down waste and improving efficiency.

Senator Lenroot of Wisconsin will speak before the convention today on "Contracts and Confidence" at a luncheon meeting.

Porto Rico Sugar Mills Start Work.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, Dec. 8.—Mills of the South Porto Rico Sugar Company started the 1921 grinding season this week, being the first on the Island of Porto Rico to begin work.

BALANCE AGAINST JAPAN.

Adverse Sum 370,000,000 Yen—November Exports Drop 40,000,000.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Japan will close 1920 with a balance of trade against her of approximately 370,000,000 yen, the Department of Commerce was informed today by Commercial Attaché Abbott at Tokio.

The department was advised that Japanese exports during November fell off 40,000,000 yen while gold imports increased 7,000,000 yen. Imports amounted to 108,958,000 yen, an increase of 1 per cent. over October.

Figures on Japanese trade for the first eleven months of the year, as compiled by the department, placed exports at 1,880,378,000 yen and imports at 2,226,985,000 yen.

HIS "FRESH" EGGS STORAGE

And Poultry Dealer Pays $100 Fine for Selling Them.

Harry Glasberg, who keeps a poultry market at 1,331 Second Avenue, paid a fine of $100 yesterday for selling cold storage eggs as "fresh eggs directly from the country."

The fine was imposed by Magistrate Alexander Brough in the municipal term of the City Magistrates' Court in the Municipal Building.

Actors to Appear at Press Club.

A midnight frolic, in which a number of theatrical stars are to entertain newspaper men, will be held at the New York Press Club on Saturday night, Dec. 18. The affair is being staged by the Press Club and the Newspaper Men's Benevolent League. Augustus Thomas, the playwright, who was once a newspaper man, will be permitted to make the only set speech of the night. Metropolitan Opera stars and leading actors and actresses have promised to take part.

ARRIVAL OF BUYERS

Arriving Buyers may register in this column by telephoning Bryant 1000.

ATLANTA, Ga.—J. M. High Co.; A. Kahanow, silks, dress goods, trimmings; 120 W. 32d.

BALTIMORE—L. Freudenthal & Son; C. Freudenthal, woolen trimmings; The Annex.

BALTIMORE—Lamm Bros., J. C. Lamm, clothing materials; B. Lamm, representing; 200 5th Av.; McAlpin.

BALTIMORE—Stewart & Co.; Miss A. E. Dischinger, corsets; T. L. Shanahan, men's furnishings; 2 W. 37th.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—Fowler, Dick & Walker; R. R. Smith, china, glassware, housefurn. goods; 6 W. 32d.

BOSTON—Chandler & Co.; Miss Weber, dresses; 230 5th Av.

BOSTON—E. T. Slattery Co.; Miss Walsh, waists; 10 E. 32d.

BOSTON—Jay's; J. Abrams, waists, coats, dresses; McAlpin.

BOSTON—R. H. Stearns Co.; A. F. Clark, mdse. manager; 200 5th Av.

BOSTON—Boston Royal Petticoat Co.; L. Cohen, petticoat materials; Breslin.

BOSTON — Massachusetts Pants Co.; S. Cohen, pants materials; Broztell.

BOSTON—Franklin Rubber Co.; W. N. Shelton, rubber goods; McAlpin.

BOSTON—Jordan-Marsh Co.; C. H. Hurd, women's knit underwear, hosiery; 432 4th Av.

BRISTOL, Tenn.—E. W. King Co.; C. G. King, dry goods; 256 Church.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Barman Bros. Co.; D. W. Barman, house dress materials; Pennsylvania.

BUFFALO—Wm. Hengerer Co.; Miss Jackson, muslin underwear, negligees; Mrs. E. P. Wright, corsets; 2 W. 37th.

CHARLOTTE, N. C.—Charlotte Merc. Co.; Mr. Efird, dry goods, notions, furn. goods; Pennsylvania.

CHICAGO—Chicago Mercantile Co.; Miss L. Smith, untrimmed hats; 621 B'way.

CHICAGO—Chas. A. Stevens & Bros.; Mrs. H. Collins, basement dresses; 40 W. 22d.

CHICAGO—The 12th St. Store; J. H. Mitchell, coats, suits, waists; 25 W. 30th; McAlpin.

CINCINNATI—Mabley & Carew Co.; M. Frank, boys' clothing; The Annex.

CLEVELAND—Miller Cloak Co.; S. Miller, mfrs. cloaks; Flanders.

COLUMBUS, Ga.—Pashlon Co.; Miss G. Doyle, ready-to-wear; The Annex.

DETROIT—J. L. Hudson Co.; Miss Mahoney, coats, suits; Miss Conover, assisting; Miss Scollin, suits, assisting; 225 5th Av.

DULUTH, Minn.—Kris & Rose Co.; N. Kris, jobs coats, dresses, waists, suits; Pennsylvania.

FORT WORTH, Texas—Cheney's; Mrs. Cheney, women's Spring ready-to-wear; 1,170 B'way, Room 505.

FORT WORTH, Texas—Smith & Jenkins; G. Tetke, coats, suits, dresses for Spring catalogue; R. Kaiser, waists, petticoats for Spring catalogue; 1,161 B'way, Room 406.

HARTFORD, Conn.—Sage-Allen Co.; G. Kneller, silks, dresses; Miss K. Rice, ribbons; 404 4th Av.

INDIANAPOLIS—Pettis D. G. Co.; Miss McAvoy, notions, druggist sundries; 230 5th Av.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—H. P. Wasson Co.; Miss A. Simon, women's dresses; 116 W. 32d.

LANCASTER, Pa.—United Stores Co.; E. W. Craft, muslin knit underwear, men's work clothing, hosiery; 235 W. 23d St.

LANCASTER, Pa.—United Stores Co., Mail Order Div.; Mr. and Mrs. Scheid, georgette and cotton waists, wash dresses, coats, suits; 115 W. 30th St., 5th floor.

LEXINGTON, Ky.—Wolf, Wile & Co.; D. Wile, women's ready-to-wear, infants' wear, toys; 120 W. 32d.

MARION, Ohio—Frank Bros. & Co.; D. A. Frank, dry goods, carpets; 1,170 B'way; Hermitage.

MINNEAPOLIS—Dayton Co.; Miss Smith, coats, wraps; 225 5th Av.

MINNEAPOLIS—Minneapolis D. G. Co.; A. D. Bernhard, silks, dress goods; 432 4th Av.

NEWARK, N. J.—S. H. Samuels & Bro.; S. H. Samuels, dress goods, silks, furn. goods; Marlborough.

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—The E. Malley Co.; A. H. McKenzie, cottons, wash goods; 105 Grand.

OMAHA, Neb.—Nebraska Clothing Co.; A. Herzberg, ready-to-wear; 1,270 B'way.

OMAHA, Neb.—Byrne & Hammer D. G. Co.; M. A. Roecker, laces, corsets, ribbons; 43 Leonard.

PHILADELPHIA—Lit Bros.; D. J. Lit, silk petticoats; 1,261 B'way.

PHILADELPHIA—Lit Bros.; Miss M. Doyle, waists; 1,261 B'way.

PHILADELPHIA — J. Sporkin & Sons; J. Sporkin, women's suitings; Breslin.

PHILADELPHIA—M. Gross & Co.; M. Gross, women's suitings; 1,182 B'way; Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA — M. Frank & Co.; M. Frank, children's cloakings; 1,182 B'way; Breslin.

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—Frank & Seder; E. Frank, georgette crepe, crepe de chine, tricolette waists, jobs silk underwear, basement dresses; 225 5th Av.

PITTSBURGH—Pittsburgh D. G. Co.—W. F. Dalzell, dress goods, ginghams, prints; 43 Leonard.

PITTSBURGH—Rosenbaum Co.; Miss F. Lipsch, dresses; 120 W. 23d.

PORTLAND, Ore.—Weinstein Bros.; A. Weinstein, Spring dresses; 15 E. 26th, Room 1910.

ROCHESTER—B. Forman Co.; Miss Culhane, suits, coats; 225 5th Av.

ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Sibley, Lindsay & Curr; R. W. Butler, laces, women's neckwear, trimmings; 112 W. 34th.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas—A. B. Frank Co.; J. B. Donovan, piece goods, silks; J. W. Carrithers, notions; 43 Leonard.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—Frederick Weingarten; A. Weingarten, wholesale fancy goods and novelties; Room 1612, Flatiron Bldg.

SHAMOKIN, Pa.—The Kay Cloak Shop; N. Krefetz, ready-to-wear; 13 W. 31st.

ST. LOUIS—Stix, Baer & Fuller D. G. Co.; M. Steinfeld, furs, coats; 1,407 B'way.

ST. LOUIS—W. Jackson & Sons Woolen Co.; C. T. Clarkson, dry goods, woolens; The Annex.

ST. PAUL—Field, Schlick & Co.; A. Sudor, white goods, linens; 1,164 Broadway.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The Petals Royal; C. F. Werner, kid gloves, cape gloves, linen handkerchiefs, men's, women's colored silk umbrellas, leather bags, sport knit stockings, women's, boys' knit underwear; 37 W. 20th.

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C.—B. F. Huntley Furniture Co.; B. F. Huntley, President; Pennsylvania.

BUYERS' WANTS.

Fifteen cents per word each insertion.

BOLIVIAS Wanted—Forstmann, Orlando, black, evora superior, navy; Holden-Leonard, chanoslyn, 5059, 4080, 4049; Saxonia 1012, brown, Drydock 1898.

BLANKETS Wanted—Cotton, staple and plaids; large quantities; cash. Franklin 1774.

CAMISOLES Wanted—Open to buy big quantity, all prices. Call 3-5:30 P. M. Rutkin, 1182 Broadway.

CANTON CREPE AND TAFFETA Wanted—Good quality at a price. Drezwell Co., 14 East 32d.

CANTON CREPE Wanted—Quantity. M. Kirschner & Sons, 16 East 33d.

CANTON CREPE Wanted—Also taffetas. Agresta & Scimeca, 154 West 31st St.

CANTON CREPE Wanted—In all colors. Call Fedora Costume Co., 15 West 28th St.

CASHGERE Wanted—33 Lorraine cream at a price; will pay cash. Watkins 9080.

CHIFFON VELVET Wanted—Black, brown and taupe, at a price. Wolf Bros., 19 West 21st St.

CLOAKING Wanted—Bolivias, polos, suedines, velours, broadcloths, kerseys; open for jobs. Shapiro & Son, 54 West 21st.

COATS Wanted—Buying Spring coats, ladies' and children's. Neumann, 137 West 27th.

COATS Wanted—Juniors', misses'; only snappy styles. Ulius Bros., 37 West 32d.

COATS, SUITS Wanted—Jobber looking at snappy Spring styles. 4th floor, 33 W. 26th.

COATS and Suits Wanted—For Spring, of the better grade. 4th floor, 45 West 27th.

COATS, Suits, Dresses and Skirts Wanted—Jobs. Moss Bros., 100 West 32d St.

COATS Wanted—Looking at Spring samples all week. 8th floor, 1133 West 29th.

CORDUROY Wanted—32-inch wide, wale, all colors. Gramercy 6100.

COTTON GOODS Wanted—Open to buy large quantities of cotton goods suitable for export to Mexico; prices must be low. Call with samples at 43 Leonard St., Room 104.

COTTON GOODS Wanted—For cash; 36-inch outing and elderdown flannels, serpentine crepe, ginghams and 64 percales. Ganis Brothers, 54 Canal St., City.

COTTON GOODS Wanted—Open to buy for cash all kinds of cotton goods, particularly white and unbleached; state quantities. V 656 Times Downtown.

COTTON GOODS Wanted—Open for quantity cambric and nainsook; will pay spot cash if price is right. Phone Spring 4845.

COTTON GOODS Wanted—Corduroy in high shades; large quantity; submit samples. M. N. Arida, 118 West 22d.

COTTON GOODS Wanted—30-inch flesh, 64 nainsook, for cash. Spring 2393.

CREPE DE CHINES Wanted—We are open for quantity of 80 pick at a price for cash. Call Friday morning, between 9 and 11, 3d floor, M. Martin & Co., 15 East 29th.

CREPE DE CHINE Wanted—Good quality; will pay cash. M. Kirschner & Sons, 14 East 33d.

CREPE DE CHINE Wanted—Three-thread, 68-pick, for spot cash. Addison, 49 West 23d.

CREPE Wanted—Canton or similar, all shades. Marinace-Young Co., 30 West 31st.

DRESSES Wanted—Large jobber placing stock orders on medium to finest grade taffeta, crepe de chine, canton crepe, meteor, poiret twill and tricotine dresses. Submit samples 9 to 5 daily, 28 West 33d.

DRESSES Wanted—We will buy, spot cash, jobs any quantities velour, tricotine, charmeuse and party dresses. Submit samples 9-5 daily, 5th floor, 28 West 25d.

DRESSES Wanted—Contractors with samples of medium priced taffetas and Canton crepe dresses. Call all week, 10:30 A. M., 31 West 31st, 9th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing stock orders on Spring dresses, canton crepe, migonettes, tricotines and novelties. Call with samples, 16 East 33d, 4th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking at snappy Spring models taffeta, canton crepe, crepe de chine and cloth. Call with samples, Hirbro Dress, 153 West 27th.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking at snappy Spring models, taffeta, canton crepe, satin, crepe de chine and cloth; call with samples, at next week, Manhattan Skirt, 1,199 Broadway.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on better dresses, crepe de chine, taffeta and Canton crepe. Between 9:30 and 11:30 A. M. 23 East 26th, 5th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber will pay cash for any quantity of tricotine, serge and silk dresses, 153 West 27th St., 3d floor. Chelsea 7365.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on highest price kittens' ear, canton crepe, taffeta and silk nets. 63 West 36th, 6th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—We are open for 5,000 charmeuse, tricotine and velvets to retail at $5. Call with samples. Bon Ton, 264 6th Av. Chelsea 5745.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Canton crepes, georgettes, kitten's ear and tricotines for Spring. Call 2 to 5 P. M., first floor, 21 West 20th.

DRESSES Wanted—New snappy styles, all materials, silks and cloths; also maternity dresses. Skudowitz, 129 West 29th.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring samples in all materials. Call after 2 P. M., 5th floor, 39 West 32d.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking at medium priced Spring dresses. 19 East 30th St., 3d floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Placing quantity orders, serge and tricotine; pay spot cash for jobs. 28 West 25th, 3d floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking at samples in all materials; also stouts. 22 West 27th, 3d floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber giving orders on crepe de chine and georgette dresses. 135 West 27th St., 10th floor.

DRESSES Wanted — Placing orders on misses' and junior models; all materials. 3d floor, 258 5th Av.

DRESSES Wanted—Silks and cloth, better grade. 2-5 afternoon, 137 West 27th, 7th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Job of tricotine and serge for cash. Gevirtz Mfg., 29 West 35th.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking at samples, all materials. 5th floor, 29 West 26th.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobs in tricotines and serges for cash. 40 West 27th, 10th floor.

FANTASI Wanted—Open for quantity, Leading Skirt Co., 20 West 33d. Pennsylvania 2897.

FURS Wanted—Jobs in Australian and black opossum; also raccoons. Abraham Katz Co., 22 West 21st.

FURS Wanted—Open to buy raccoon and opossum. Leipzig & Rosenberg, 122 West 27th.

GEORGETTES AND CREPE DE CHINES Wanted—3 and 4 thread, for cash at a price; open for all shades; call all week. Feinberg Bros., 189 6th Av.

GEORGETTES Wanted—Open to buy large quantities in all colors; must be very cheap. Call with samples, Curley Waist Mfg. Co., 145 Greene, Spring 6720, 6730.

GEORGETTES Wanted—Five pieces three-thread, heavy quality, white, flesh and brown; $1.05; 8 off cash. Longacre 2984.

GROS DE LONDRES Wanted—All colors, for immediate delivery. See Mr. Gross, 621 Broadway, Room 712.

LININGS Wanted—Paisley, for Spring; open for quantity at the right price. 1,372 Broadway (9th floor). Mr. Ruben, Fitzroy 512.

LININGS Wanted—Radium, call in the afternoon. Herman Goldstein, 127 West 25th.

LININGS Wanted—Jap, open for quantity at a price. Goldberg & Eisen, Chelsea 3615.

LINING Wanted—Pussy willow, Mallinson's plains and fancies or similar. Drydock 1897.

LININGS Wanted—Tub silk, for cash. Edwin Wilensky, 19 West 24th St.

MIGNONETTES Wanted — Quantity. M. Kirschner & Sons, 16 East 33d.

POIRET TWILL Wanted—Quantity, navy, tan, gray; spot cash. I. Zimmerman, 39 West 37th.

POIRET TWILLS Wanted—All makes, also gabardines, at a price for cash. Fitzroy 4376.

POIRET TWILLS Wanted—Ethan Allen 824, navy. L. Goldstein, Mad. Sq. 10170.

POPLIN, Cotton, Wanted — Cotton gabardine, printed voile, crepe de chine; full assortment of colors; seen from 9 to 12 A. M. H. & J. Homsy, 119 West 23d St., City.

POPLINS Wanted—8158, navy and tan, at a price. Goldberg & Eisen, Chelsea 3615.

POPLINS Wanted—Amoskeag 8138, navy or similar; cash. Phone Chelsea 809.

SERGES Wanted—Whitman's 104; open to buy at a price; will pay cash. Kohn, Leinhardt & Simon, 10 East 33d.

SERGE Wanted—Quantity 1210, 7301, MFL, 87, brown, burgundy, plum. Stats, 151 West 26th.

SERGES Wanted—1210, CSG, EMS, 7301; any quantity. 244 5th Av. (3d floor).

SERGES Wanted—54289, blue; quantity cash. Braunstein, Watkins 5711.

SERGES Wanted—7301, cash; must be at a price. Watkins 0570.

SERGES Wanted—7002, navy or similar. Gramercy 4076.

SERGES Wanted—Jullilards, 54296. Chelsea 1456.

SHIRTINGS Wanted—Open for quantity satin-triped tub silks, broadcloth and crepe de chine; cash. Lowy, 12th floor, 288 4th Av.

SILKS Wanted—Will buy for spot cash 3, 4 and 5 thread crepe de chines, also crepe meteors, radiums, satins, messalines, georgettes, taffetas, all kinds of shirtings, any quantity, sportsilks, printed georgettes, 12 and 14 momme pongee, also all kinds of remnants in silk, from 1½ yards up. Store, 34 East 29th. Madison Square 2673.

SILKS Wanted—Open for quantity twill silks, plain colors, for lining; also plain and fancy radiums. Mail samples and best price to Louis Greenberg & Bros., Inc., East Norwalk, Conn.

SILKS Wanted—Taffetas, canton crepes, crepe satin, duplan or other similar qualities for cash. Ansonia Dress Co., 58 West 32th St.

SILKS Wanted—Wash satins, shirtings, Canton crepes and novelties; spot cash. New York Silk Exchange, 337 4th Av.

SILKS Wanted—Sport silk for skirts. Eisenstadt & Joseph, 19 West 35th.

SILKS Wanted—Fancy and plain radiums. J. M. Finkelstein, 34 West 27th.

SILK remnant, any quantity, at a price, for cash. Phone Wadsworth 2203.

SILKS Wanted—Sport skirtings for Spring. M. Feyman, 19 West 21st.

SKIRTS Wanted—Pleated plaids; immediate delivery. Room 60, 19 West 21st.

SUITS Wanted—Ely & Walker Dry Goods Co. will look at Spring suits all day Friday at New York office; desirous of opening new accounts; will furnish own materials if necessary; small manufacturers given equal consideration. W. J. Schminke.

SUITS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring suits. Call with samples, 10 to 4 P. M. 24 East 28th, 6th floor.

SUITS Wanted—Jobber looking at snappy styles of Spring suits. 5th floor, 45 W. 27th.

SUITS Wanted—Will look at samples not over $20. Rinsberg, 41 West 25th.

BUYERS' WANTS.

SUITS AND COATS Wanted—Better grade; jobber placing Spring orders. 129 West 29th, 8th floor.

SUITS Wanted—Stout, for Spring; jobber placing orders. 15 West 26th, 7th floor.

TAFFETA Wanted—Open to buy large quantities in brown, navy, copen, pearl gray; submit sample pieces. Kayance Dress, 20 West 33d.

TAFFETAS Wanted—3249, also 206, or similar, all shades charmeuse 1371; also Canton crepe, for cash. Letzter, 433 4th Av.

TAFFETA Wanted—Open to buy good quality, all colors. N. Y. Dress Co., 35 West 35th St.

TAFFETAS Wanted—Stehl 3219, large quantities, all colors, for cash. Eclipse Dress Co., 45 West 33d.

TAFFETA Wanted—Hartley No. 6 or similar cloth; also 1371 charmeuse. Madison Square 9293.

TAFFETAS and CANTON CREPE Wanted—Will pay cash. Florence Silk Company, 456 4th Av.

TAFFETA Wanted—Good quality only, assorted. C. H. D. Robbins Co., 150 Madison Av.

TAFFETAS Wanted—All colors and black Jap silk; pay cash. Aurora Co., 632 Broadway.

TAFFETAS Wanted — Navy, black and brown, medium quality, at a price; open for quantity. Steph Dress, 36 West 25th.

TAFFETA Wanted—Brown and copen, any quantity, below $1. Leibowitz, 134 West 26th.

TAFFETA and Canton Crepe Wanted. Oxford Dress, 25 West 27th.

TAFFETAS Wanted — Fine quality, all shades. Billy Posner, 44 East 32d.

TAFFETA Wanted—All colors, medium quality. Jacob Lashin & Bro., 143 West 29th.

TRICOTINES Wanted—0388, 3782, 9092, 817, 1917, 3860; spot cash; quantity no object. Pennsylvania 258.

TRICOTINE Wanted—Reed's 0388 or similar qualities. Ben Ginsburg Co., 134 West 37th. Fitzroy 5611.

TRICOTINES, Poiret Twill and Serges Wanted — All makes. Gould-Handman, Longacre 5425.

TRICOTINE Wanted—0388, Deland's or Reed's; quantity at low prices. Watkins 3641.

TRICOTINES Wanted—0388-5782 Walworths, Reads; reasonable for cash. Madison Square 3551.

TRICOTINE Wanted—Open for quantity of tricotine; must be cheap. 6 West 32d, 3d floor.

TRICOTINE Wanted—0388, 5782 or similar, for cash; low price. Stuyvesant 8468.

TRICOTINES Wanted—Good quality. Schrader & Levy, 129 West 22d St.

TRICOTINES Wanted—American 0388; spot cash. Singer & Katz. Watkins 3385.

TRICOTINES Wanted—American, 0388, for cash. Call, phone Watkins 2353.

TRICOTINE Wanted—100 pieces navy, for cash. 10th floor, 129 West 27th.

TRICOTINE Wanted—Navy 0388. Margolis, 136 West 21st. Chelsea 6501.

TRICOTINES Wanted—Good quality. J. M. Finkelstein, 34 West 27th.

TRICOTINE Wanted—Read's or Andrews's tan and rookie. Watkins 3514.

TRICOTINES Wanted—American 0388. Telephone Gramercy 0289.

TRICOTINES Wanted—US 907. Chelsea 1457. 1457.

VELOUR and Tricotine Wanted—Also Poiret twill. Zuck & Gordon, 43 West 33d.

VELOUR Wanted—Spring shades, I. Novick & Co., 45 West 27th.

WOOLENS AND WORSTEDS Wanted—Manufacturers: A very good cap manufacturing concern is open to look at high-class cap materials in woolens and worsteds for the coming Spring; communicate at once where we can see lines. Y 2113 Times Annex.

WOOL JERSEY Wanted—12 ounce; cash if price is right. J. Metz, 159 West 25th St.

WRAPS AND COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders for Spring. 1,372 Broadway, 9th floor. Mr. Altman.

OFFERINGS TO BUYERS.

Fifteen cents per word each insertion.

APRONS—5,000 dozen, all kinds; immediate delivery. Dean's Lock Stitch, 45 East 17th St.

ARMY AND NAVY STORES—We have for immediate delivery pea jackets, mackinaws, pants, shirts, blankets and caps at the very low price. William Marks, 1,123 Broadway. Tel. Watkins 2806.

ARMY AND NAVY GOODS—New and reclaimed O. D. shirts, $13.50; trousers, $24; field shoes, $1.89 pair. Manhattan Trading Co., 39 East 9th St.

ARMY GOODS—Army regulation garrison shoe, $4.65; navy blue wool pea coats, $7.85; West Point officer shoes, $4.85; army wool mackinaw, 30 ounce, $7.50; army O. D. slippers, $1; hip boots, $2.75; army hobnailed shoes, $3.50. Elias Berlow Corp., 110 Duane St.

ARMY and Navy Shoe Supplies for immediate delivery on floor; Westpoint officer shoes, $3.85; men's and ladies' khaki slippers, $1; army dress shoes No. 800, $4. Handleman Shoe Co., Inc., 96 Duane St.

ARMY AND NAVY GOODS—Have for immediate delivery belts, shoes, jackets, blankets, shirts, leggings; underwear and a full line of reclaimed merchandise. Nat Bloom & Co., 1 West 3d St.

ARMY AND NAVY GOODS—New all-wool blankets, $3.50, 57x84; made from U. S. Government gray burella cloths. Surplus Trading Co., 394 Broadway, New York City. Telephone Canal 5020.

ARMY and navy goods, all descriptions, new and reclaimed; lowest prices. Berger-Kranz Co., 27 West Houston St., near B'way.

ARMY GOODS—Belts, army web; immediate delivery. Lorraine Novelty Mfg. Co., 100 Greene St. Phone Spring 2186.

BAGS—Entire line ladies' imported handbags; beaded, silk, velvet; offered at remarkably low prices. Lanseatra Co., 3 West 29th. Longacre 4144.

BAGS, beaded; also necklaces, imported, at a low price. Louis M. Meisel, 147 West 23d St. Watkins 7581.

BATHROBES—Jobs men's, women's, children's. Brown & Son, 50 West 17th.

BEAVER—Black and gray, style J 36 Dobson, at $2 net cash. Stuyvesant 8416.

BLANKETS AND COMFORTS—30% below cost; also samples in large assortments; prominent jobber cleaning up entire line prior to inventory. 447 Broadway.

BOLIVIAS—Saxonias 1010, navy; Forstmann & Huffmann's evoras; all shades. Longacre 4074.

CANTON CREPE, TAFFETAS—In all colors, for immediate delivery. Letzter & Bonine, 128 Madison Av.

CHIFFON VELVET—Openhym 1502, black, brown, navy and taupe; lowest prices. Fitzroy 2908.

COATEES, Coats—Closing out plushes, peco, Baffin seal, trimmed with raccoon, opossum, coney, Australian, &c., and plain; sacrificing prices. Singer & Son, 45 West 27th.

COATEES, plush, 500, must be sold at sacrifice; don't forget to ask for our leader, silk plush kit coney collars $9.75. 141 West 28th, 3d floor.

COATEES — Plush coatees and full-length coats to size 55 on racks at a price; immediate delivery. Siafkes & Toskar, 12 W. 18th.

COATEES—Raccoon, Australian opossum trimmed; also stouts; exceptionally low prices. Korostoff, 14 West 21st.

COATEES—In plush, closing out, with big fur collars. I. Novick, 45 West 27th.

COATEES—Plush, fur trimmed, very cheap. Seventh floor, 48 West 25th St.

COATS—Jobs of coats, bolivias, velours, silk lined; fur trimmed, to close. Kaplan & Weinstein, 133 West 21st.

COATS—1,500 silk, plush, plain and fur trimmed, on the racks, at a price. Givner, Berkman & Hamburger, 43 West 27th.

COATS—500 children's full lined, sizes 8-14; $3.75, fur trimmed silvertones; sizes 8-14; $5.75. Wm. Bernstein & Co., 133 W. 19th.

COATS—Infants', children's and juniors', of all descriptions, to close out, $3 up. Feldman & Weiss, 101 East B'wadway.

COATS—Plush coatees, $12.75; 56x72; other numbers in proportion. N. Hurwitz & Son, 38 West 21st.

COATS—Jobs coats, bolivias, suedines and velours, self and fur trimmed, to close out. A. I. Weinberg & Co., 158 West 29th.

COATS—Infants', children's, juniors', all descriptions, close out, $2.50 up. Cass Rosenthal, 158 West 27th.

COATS—Wonderful wraps in high-grade misses' coats, all nutria trimmed. Harry Eidlinger, 20 West 27th.

COATS—Sacrificing stock beaver, raccoon, Australian collars; reduction. Bernstein, 51 West 31st.

COATS—Children's, juniors', ladies', fur trimmed; close out. Edelson & Hand, 16 West 22d.

COATS—Our Spring line of suits and coats is ready for your criticism. N. Hurwitz & Son, 38 West 21st.

COATS—Stout, plain and fur trimmed, $17.75 and $21.75. Marcus Klepper & Co., 34 West 27th.

COATS—Ladies' and children's jobs to close out at very low price. Halprin Bros., 36 West 20th.

COATS—Of the better make; plush coatees, several hundred, to close out, $8.75 and up. Schlansky, Kutfer Co., 693 Broadway.

COATS and Suits—See our Bolivia nutria shawl coat at a low price. Cooper, Lansner & Cooper, 115 West 27th.

COATS—Juniors, American suedine, large sealine collars, $17.75. Marcus Klepper & Co., 34 West 27th.

COATS—150 wrap coats, fur-trimmed, to close out at a price. Levine & Soloff, 162 West 21st.

COATS AND WRAPS—1,000 to close out at a price. Monarch Garment, 236 5th Av.

COATS—Contractors closing out 50 fur-trimmed coats, cheap. 37 West 32d, 5th floor.

COATS—Children's to close out at a sacrifice. Rosebud Girl Coat Co., 29 E. 20th.

OFFERINGS TO BUYERS.

COATS—Remarkable reduction; we are offering 1,000 silk-lined bolivia coats with Australian opossum collars, $25.50; self trimmed, $16.75; these coats are exceptional values at the prices we are offering them, and cannot be duplicated elsewhere for their workmanship and style. House of Bargains, Horowitz Bros., 122 West 28th.

$1,000,000 M'CABE WILL SUIT ON TRIAL

Testimony Heard in Support of Sons' Contention Manufacturer Was of Unsound Mind.

MANY BEQUESTS AT STAKE

Former Attorney for Decedent Submits Letters He Wrote Describing Visionary Deals.

Testimony in support of a contention that James J. McCabe, President of the J. J. McCabe Lathe and Machine Company at 149 Broadway, was not of sound mind when he made a will disposing of about $1,000,000, was offered before Surrogate Cohalan and a jury yesterday in a suit by his sons, J. J. McCabe Jr. and Raymond J. McCabe, both of whom received liberal bequests, to break the will.

The testator gave $10,000, the town residence at 429 West 147th Street, a country place at Deal, N. J., all furnishings and the income from $130,000 to his wife, Mrs. Marcella McCabe. Harry F. McCabe, a son, got $100,000, and $30,000 went to James J. McCabe Jr. Other children also got bequests. The will gave $50,000 to be distributed among such Catholic charities as the family might select; $50,000 to Patrick F. Sheeran, general manager of the decedent's business, and $10,000 to the Rev. Father Joseph H. McMahon, pastor of the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes, in West 142d Street. Other gifts were $5,000 to Patrick Rohan, chauffeur, and $10,000 each to Mary T. McLaughlin and Catherine Daly, employed in his office.

Percy Jackson, formerly attorney for McCabe, gave testimony concerning his mental condition at about the time he made his will. He said that McCabe talked and wrote in a rambling manner and offered many letters in proof of his contention that the decedent was mentally unbalanced. One letter, dated July 29, 1918, said that the writer had had difficulty making payments of $100,000, but had finally acquired "$16,-000,000, all to the good." The letter said further:

"We have lately started in to handle stock a large scale, and eventually it will be our principal business. We are just after buying $6,000,000 of stocks, including U. S. Steel and other good ones, leaving a profit of $2,400 000. I am getting after the real estate business and have started to put up twenty 150 by 10-foot buildings and there is a net profit of $500,000 in it for me. I have also arranged to get possession of all the vacant property in the Bronx University section, and also in New Jersey, and my plan is to push right along in that direction. It is the easiest kind of money."

Thomas McCormick, an attendant in the Bronx County Court, said that while he was a guest at the decedent's summer home at Deal in 1918 McCabe told him the income tax law was wrong, and that the Government was being "frisked." McCabe insisted, he said, that a tax of 90 per cent. should be imposed on all incomes. The next day they were on the Deal golf links and McCabe, in boasting of his ability as a golfer, said:

"The darn fools walk all over these links driving the ball while I stand right here on this spot and drive the balls into every hole without leaving the spot."

The trial will continue today.

HAVE YELLOW FEVER SERUM

Travelers May Receive Noguchi Vaccine at Broad Street Hospital.

The Rockefeller Foundation announced yesterday that persons traveling to South and Central America could be treated with the Noguchi vaccine against yellow fever at the Broad Street Hospital.

"During the final a great many persons received the vaccine here," said Dr. C. F. Abbott of the Broad Street Hospital yesterday, "and at present persons are not allowed to leave any of the steamers and go ashore in yellow fever ports without being vaccinated either here or on the ship. The efficacy of the vaccine seems to be thoroughly established.

"The vaccination requires two hypodermic injections six days apart," he continued. "The arm should be massaged at the point of injection for a few minutes afterwards. There is no 'kick' from the vaccine at all."

Church Federation Formed.

Announcement was made yesterday through a temporary committee of the formation of a Brooklyn Federation of Churches. The final vote was taken a few days ago of eighty pastors and laymen of churches representing ten different denominations. The chairman of the temporary committee is the Rev. Dr. S. Edward Young, pastor of Bedford Presbyterian Church. The second general meeting will be held January 3 in the Central Y. M. C. A. and a constitution will be submitted for adoption.

Y. M. H. A. to Build Gymnasium.

The Young Men's Hebrew Association, David L. Rubinstein, president, which plans to erect an eight or ten story clubhouse at a cost of $400,000 at the southeast corner of South Rodney Street, Brooklyn, has filed plans for the construction of a two-story building to cover a portion of the site. The smaller building is to be utilized for gymnasium and auditorium purposes and in the near future it is to be razed to make way for the major improvement. Shampan & Shampan, architects, completed the designs for both buildings. The size of the plot is 97 by 102 feet.

BUY SUBURBAN HOME SITES.

Many Plots Purchased for Immediate Improvement With Dwellings.

George Howe sold for the Larchmont Gardens Company lots 4, 5, also 3 in Block 401, Weaver Street, Larchmont Gardens, to Mrs. Mildred Bruce Ebbels of New York City. Mrs. Ebbels plans the erection of a home on the site.

The Robert E. Farley Organization sold for the Union & New Haven Trust Company, a large plot in the Nepperhan Heights section of Yonkers, to Adolph Moeller of Brooklyn, N. Y., who is planning to build a home.

Carl C. Loh sold to Waldemar Dyrssen the Ward Carpenter property located on Franklin Street, Tarrytown. The lot has a frontage of 60 feet with a modern fireproof building. The property was held at $15,000.

The property of W. A. Fischer situated on Laurel Street, Chappaqua, N. Y. has been sold by George Howe to W. J. Parmelee of the DeWitt Clinton High School. The property consists of a suburban home on a large plot of ground.

New Jersey Sales.

S. S. Walstrum-Gordon & Forman sold for John A. Terhune his dwelling on South Maple Avenue, Ridgewood, to Harold H. Griffin. and for David T. Fontarede, 55 North Pleasant Avenue, to George R. Harrison, and for J. C. Ferguson to Victor de Pauw, 276 North Pleasant Avenue.

The three-story brick dwelling, 13 Marshall Street, Newark, has been sold to Joseph D. Samuelson by Louis Schlesinger, Inc. The structure is built upon a plot having a frontage of 20 feet by a depth of 75.

E. P. Hamilton & Co. sold for the estate of Alanson S. Gillespie the three apartment buildings at 306-310-312 Halsted Street, East Orange, New Jersey, to Harry A. Scher of Newark. The purchase was made as an investment. The same firm has sold for Henry E. Stevens Jr. the last lot of his development on Page Terrace, South Orange, to Chas. R. Piper; also for Chas. R. Piper to Lewis W. Pollard the lot on Rynda Road, South Orenge, adjoining the residence of W. Palen Conway, Vice President of the Guaranty Trust Company of New York, on which Mr. Pollard will erect a residence.

Trading in Brooklyn.

The Clinton Trading Corporation sold to Thomas McColgan and John J. Starr a vacant plot, 87 by 100, situated on the west side of East Fifth Street, fifty-two feet south of Avenue P.

The Berkshire Realty Company, Inc., Joseph G. Haft, president, purchased the one-family residence and garage at 1,809 Ocean Parkway, on a plot 150 by 100, from Ralph Sloane.

Realty Auctioneers' Meeting.

The Auctioneers' Association will hold its annual meeting this afternoon in the Real Estate Salesrooms on Vesey Street. It is likely that the association will offer some suggestions in an endeavor to bring about some reconciliation between tenant and landlord.

Commercial Leases.

Huberth & Huberth leased for the Hotel Woodward a store at the southwest corner of Seventh Avenue and Fifty-fifth Street to the Lee Tire & Rubber Company.

J. K. Mooren leased the store at 337 West Fifty-seventh Street to the Abeles-Lewit Company, dealers in automobile hardware, for a term of years.

FRONT ST. RESALE BY SHIPPING FIRM

Livermore, Rojas & Co. Dispose of Building Recently Purchased to Realty Operator.

EIGHTH AV. CORNER SOLD

Printers Crafts Building, Recently Sold in Foreclosure, Refinanced by Loans Aggregating $3,050,000.

An important resale in the shipping district where there has been a strong buying movement for several months past was closed yesterday by Norman S. Riesenfeld, an active operator in this particular section, who purchased the five-story remodeled business building at 48 Front Street.

This structure, which occupies a lot 20 by 90 feet, and the similar abjoining building, 46 Front Street, were purchased last Spring by Livermore, Rojas & Co.

Extensive alterations were made to both buildings and completed recently. Livermore, Rojas & Co. will retain 46 for their own occupancy, and have sold 48 to Mr. Risenfeld for about $65,000. Lawrence Blake & Jewell negotiated the transaction.

About three months ago Mr. Riesenfeld purchased 49 Front Street and recently resold it to the Seamen's Church Institute, which intends to rebuild.

Syndicate Buys Eighth Avenue Corner.

A syndicate composed of people interested in the Drury Lane Theatre have purchased the three four-story buildings, on a plot 59.3 by 100, at 613 to 617 Eighth Avenue, southwest corner of Fortieth Street, from the Columbus Holding Company (Jackson and Stern). The theatre now occupies the buildings at 613 and 615, where it has been located for the last ten years.

Refinance Printers Crafts Building.

The twenty-two-story Printers Crafts Building, occupying the blockfront on the west side of Eighth Avenue, between Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth Streets, has been refinanced by several loans totaling $3,050,000.

The property was recently sold in foreclosure proceedings by Joseph P. Day on a bid of $232,000 over prior liens of $2,425,000 to Franklin Pettit for the Trepok Realty Company.

The realty company secured title to the structure Wednesday from Charles L. Hoffman, referee.

Of the new loans the City Real Estate Company advances $750,000. This is subject to a prior mortgage for $1,700,-000. The Columbia Trust Company makes an additional loan of $800,000 at 6 per cent., payable in instalments. The loans total $3,050,000. At the time of the auction it was announced that the second and third mortgages were also under foreclosure. A group of tenants are said to have made offers to buy the property.

DEALS IN HARLEM.

Corporation Buys Six Houses Adjoining Lenox Avenue Corner.

The six four-story dwellings at 102 to 112 West 128th Street, adjoining the southwest corner of Lenox Avenue, have been purchased by the Ethell Holding Company from William Goldstone and Simon Myers. They have a frontage of 75 feet, adjoining a public school building on the west. They are westerly houses of twelve dwellings, the others being on Lenox Avenue, recently purchased by the sellers from the Brush estate. Negotiations are pending for the sale of some of the six Lenox Avenue houses with buyers to alter them for business.

Ernest T. Bower was the broker in the recent sale.

The three-story dwelling at 29 West 126th Street, 18.9 by 100 feet, has been purchased by Callaghan McCarthy Jr. from Mary E. Galvin.

Coughlan & Clisby sold for the estate of Adolph Platky the four-story private dwelling on a lot 20 by 100.8 at 220 West Eighty-ninth Street, to Frank R. Allen for occupancy. The property was held at $45,000.

CHURCH SELLS REALTY.

Russian Relief Parts With Building in Seventeenth Street.

The four-story building at 231 to 235 East Seventeenth Street, a plot 74 by 104 feet, oposite Stuyvesant Square, has been resold by the Russian Relief Church Corporation.

The property was formerly owned and used by the St. John the Baptist School. The church acquired the property last August at foreclosure sale, bidding $84,-000 for it. It was sold by Joseph P. Day in a suit brought by St. John the Baptist Foundation against Evodkim Mescheraky, who bought the property from the foundation in 1915 for $70,000. The foreclosure was for an indebtedness of $57,902.

Recent Buyers.

Max Benjamin is the buyer of 524 East Eighty-second Street.

Mrs. J. J. Worden, the tenant, is the buyer of the residence at 45 East Fifty-first Street.

The Parepa Realty Company is the buyer of 166 East Eighty-third Street.

The H. C. M. Realty Company is the buyer of the altered dwelling at 14 West Seventy-second Street.

Josephine Foody is the buyer of the flat at 33 Morningside Avenue.

The Bronx Market.

Arthur Weyl & Co. sold to J. Gelburd the brick building with garage and shop 1,035-1,037 Stebbins Avenue.

Ernesto J. Cuozzo resold for Frederick W. Minicus to Dr. Charles P. Turner for his own occupancy the one-family private dwelling at 1,081 Woodycrest Avenue.

New Buildings.

Quimby Av, s s, 280.84 ft w of Castle Hill Av, one-story brick dwelling, 18x50; Frank and Marianiano Martino, 1,869 McGraw Av, owners; Anion Pirnar, 2,069 Westchester Av, architect; cost, $5,000.

167th St, n s, 109 ft e of Park Av, one-story brick shop, 40.5x140; Alex Sussman, 448 East 167th St, owner; Charles S. Clark, 441 Tremont Av, architect; cost, $10,000.

BUSINESS RECORDS

In Town.

EMERSON PHONOGRAPH CO., INC.—Judge Knox has appointed Jacob Scholer and Thomas H. Matters Jr. receivers, in $25,000 bond, for Emerson Phonograph Co., Inc., a New York corporation, in a suit brought by Mary S. Johnson, a creditor for $16,686, whose claim is for printing and advertising matter. It is stated that the defendant has assets of upward of $1,200,000 and liabilities of approximately $1,000,000, at least $800,000 of which is said to be unsecured. The same receivers were appointed for Emerson Phonograph Co. of Delaware, a Delaware corporation, with outstanding capital stock of $2,000, all common, and all outstanding shares owned by Emerson Phonograph Co., Inc. The liabilities of the Delaware corporation are said to be about $290,-000, all unsecured, and the assets to be greater in value, but the company is alleged to be unable to meet maturing obligations. The affairs of the two companies are said to be closely interwoven.

CUTLER BROTHERS—Judge Knox has appointed Elnar Chrystie, Arthur E. Winter and Harry V. Boyce receivers, in $10,000 bond, for Philip, Samuel and Paul Cutler, trading as Cutler Bros., dealers in scrap material, crude rubber, metals, &c., at 271 Broadway and St. Louis, Mo., in a suit brought by John Wahl Commission Co., a creditor for $7,850. It is stated that the financial trouble of the firm is due to depreciation of merchandise in market value. On Dec. 3 the firm made an assignment, and on the same date a petition in bankruptcy was filed against it.

NATIONAL WAIST MANUFACTURING COMPANY—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Louis Mirman, trading as National Waist Manufacturing Company, at 158 West Twenty-seventh Street, by these creditors: Grossbandes & Sohn; A. Matsum, $98, and L. Brodsky, $1,000. An assignment was also made to Julius Fischer.

KALCHMAN BROTHERS—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Jacob and Max Kalchman, copartners, trading as Kalchman Brothers, retail clothing, at 123 Stanton Street, by Saff, creditor for $1,205.

JACOB F. LEVY—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Jacob F. Levy, alka, at 53 Grand Street, by Herman Moster, a creditor, for $1,000. An assignment was made on Dec. 8.

FANNY L. FOX, saleslady, residing at 421 East Fifty-second Street, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $2,-623 and no assets.

BLACK CAT MAGAZINE, INC.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Black Cat Magazine, Inc., publishers of a magazine

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58TH ST., 121 WEST—Four-story American basement, 20-foot, electric light,, 3 baths, thoroughly modern; immediate possession. Daniel B. Freedman, Owner, 128 Broadway.

LEXINGTON AV., 813—Five-story dwelling, 120-foot lot; long term; $5,000 net. Phone Plaza 2974.

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WASHINGTON SQUARE SOUTH—Plot, 48 feet front, four-story buildings; possession; terms. Dimick Estate, 258 Broadway.

42D EAST—Twelve-room private house; $12,500; possession. 643 3d Av.

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FIVE-STORY storage warehouse, 16,000 square feet; price $30,000, cash $8,000. Laumeister & Hermann, 364 East 143d St.

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BEAUTIFUL Park Slope dwelling, near subway, 21x100; nine rooms, bath; new parquet floors throughout; electricity; latest decorations; $16,500; $6,500 cash; coal in cellar; immediate occupancy. Henry Pierson, Inc., 309 Flatbush Av., Brooklyn. Sterling 4300.

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WEST END AV., 839 (Corner 101st)—Six rooms, bath, handsomely and completely furnished; phone, private hall; cheerful sun room overlooking Hudson River; first-class building and service; $350 per month, or will consider selling for $4,500. Apartment 7F. Phone Riverside 4063 after 7 P. M. week days or all day Sunday.

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WEST END (80s)—Seven rooms, two baths, handsomely furnished; season, year. Columbus 3974.

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THREE ROOMS and bath, housekeeping apartment, for business couple; three short blocks from Fort Hamilton Av. station, Sea Beach subway; $75 per month, with garage; $25 without. Sunset 9418.

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FINELY FURNISHED five-room apartment, near subway express station; adults; $200 month; six months or more. Apply 2,125 Church Av., Brooklyn. Telephone 4781 Flatbush.

TWO OR FOUR ROOMS and kitchenette in a beautiful private home; garage. Tel. 255 City Island.

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Unfurnished—West Side.

107TH (Washington Square)—Apartment, five rooms, bath; $145. Elberson, 25 West 42d.

121ST, 149 WEST—Four rooms, steam, parquet floors, electric light, telephone.

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46TH, 47 WEST—Two rooms, bath, kitchenette; $1,300. Donovan, premises. Cortlandt 4535.

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48TH ST., 117-119 WEST—1, 2, 3 room apartments, studios, kitchenette, elevator.

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Newly renovated, attractive apartment, six rooms and bath, kitchen, steam heat, electricity; rent, $1,500 to $1,800.

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51ST, 16 WEST—Two rooms, bath and kitchen; suitable for studio; attractive.

54TH, 33 WEST (Near 5th Av.)—Attractive 3 rooms, bath, kitchenette; large closets; redecorate; furnished or unfurnished; fireplaces; entire floor; open for inspection; lease, $160. Phone Hanover 6895.

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SITUATIONS WANTED—Female.

TYPIST wishes home work letters, literary, law, &c. Phone Decatur 7319.

WAITRESSES, two ladies, tea room, boarding house; part time. B 284 Times.

WOMAN, French-speaking, middle-aged, situation with one child over 5 years. J. H., Room 1205, 70 5th Av.

YOUNG LADY, experienced, wishes position as typist; can furnish excellent references. B 984 Times Downtown.

YOUNG married lady, college bred, desires congenial morning position. M 102 Times.

VIENNA woman, officer's widow, with doctor's degree in chemistry and physics, speaking Frenche German and some English, with nearly five years' experience in factory work (pharmaceutical, chemical and food industries) and some original patents, willing, reliable, wants a place with any big establishment where she can work to support herself and her child. Mrs. Dr. Alice Wolf, Vienna, XVI., Ottakringerstrasse, 129, Austria.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

ACCOUNTANT.

Ten years' experience; cost accountant, auditor; considerable experience in managing help; age 33; best credentials. Webster, 1,856 Bedford Av., Brooklyn.

ACCOUNTANT, student, 25, experienced bookkeeper, steamship auditor, desires connection public or certified as junior; $25. G 561 Times.

ACCOUNTANT—Books opened, audited, systems, tax reports, arrangements firms without bookkeepers, $2.50 weekly up. Goldwater, 299 Broadway, Worth 5008.

ACCOUNTANT, systematizer, linguist; elderly; few hours work daily. Davout, 271 West 124th.

ACCOUNTANT (25), graduate; can audit without supervision; 3 years' experience; salary $45; available Jan. 1. A 333 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, senior, American, 35, wide tax experience, unquestionable credentials. N 180 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, junior, 22, 2 years' accounting experience, willing and accurate; city or out of town. D 892 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT-BOOKKEEPER, 38, experienced, desires connection 3 days weekly. Phone Bushwick 5798.

ACCOUNTANT, certified (N. Y.), desires additional engagements. F 683 Times Downtown.

ADVERTISING—Young man, 21, university training, seeks position with advertising firm. Box 20, 324 Rockaway Av., Brooklyn.

AGENT, assistant purchasing; young man, experienced correspondent, export. F 680 Times Downtown.

AUDITOR, specializing accounts, part time, wants clients; reasonable rates. M 578 Times.

ARTIST—Frenchman from Paris desires permanent position; specializing fashion work and decorative designing. Address Delenry, 841 West 58th.

ARTIST, professional, experienced figure and landscape; advertisement, illustration, fashions. G 586 Times.

ASSISTANT TO SALES MANAGER.

Salesman, 25, good correspondent, possessing keen insight merchandising, credits; four years' road experience; worker; $2,500. M 112 Times.

ATTENDANT and companion to invalid gentleman; exceptional credentials furnished; refined personality. G 558 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, ACCOUNTANT, OFFICE MANAGER.

Young man, efficient executive, correspondent, systematizer; capable extensive developments. F 137 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, double entry, 6 years' experience hardware, plumbing salesman; all around man; moderate salary. F 671 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER - CASHIER, general office man, 28, thoroughly experienced, conversant foreign languages; best references. Reis, 1,621 2d Av.

BOOKKEEPER, knowledge office routine, accountancy student, typist, seeks position; references furnished; initial salary $25. H 182 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, correspondent, thorough knowledge office routine, competent, reliable, desires position worth strenuous efforts for success. P 135 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, part time; write up books, daily or weekly; trial balances; reasonable. S 923 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, eight years' experience, complete sets manufacturing accounts. F 665 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, 21, knowledge of accounting, stenography and typewriting; four years' experience. B 617 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER wants position; able take entire charge; also billing. F 479 Times.

BUTLER - COOK - HOUSEWORKER, thoroughly competent; good cook; excellent recommendations. G 597 Times.

BUTLER, useful, colored, city, country, references. Hendriks, care of Samuels, 31 West 59th.

CARETAKER or custodian; respectable family, including 3 well-behaved children; would give best services. A 1092 Times Harlem.

CARPENTER, cabinetmaker, experienced, wants work for business house or private, day or contract. 78 Judge St., Elmhurst.

CHAUFFEUR-MECHANIC, ten years' experience; careful driver on all cars, foreign or domestic; references; neat, courteous, obliging; desires city or country position. Telephone Watkins 7927. Address Hattaway, 217 5th Av.

CHAUFFEUR, private, 15 years' experience, driving, repairing, high grade cars; well recommended, courteous, prompt, careful, wishes position. Tel. Bryant 906. Brunell. G 586 Times.

CHAUFFEUR, fine mechanician, Italian, speaks English and French; ten years' experience, reliable, willing, city or country; excellent references. M 94 Times.

CHAUFFEUR-MECHANICIAN, tall, neat, of the better class, desires connection with private family at once. Arthur Ziegler, 620 West 135th St. Morn. 5389.

CHAUFFEUR-MECHANIC, 14 years' experience on high-grade cars, neat, reliable, careful driver; highly recommended; does not smoke or drink; $40. Phone Circle 1064.

CHAUFFEUR-MECHANIC, Norwegian, age 34, 12 years' experience; 8 years last employer; best references; private only; own repairs. Hoff, 2,334 Broadway, Schuyler 3972.

CHAUFFEUR, refined, neat, experienced; desires position; references. B 961 Times Downtown.

CHAUFFEUR-MECHANIC wishes position with private family; 8 years' experience; references. Charles R. Mayer, 342 East 142d.

CHAUFFEUR, mechanic, British, disengaged, 15 years' experience, desires position. F 444 Times.

CHAUFFEUR, single, 25, has driven all high class cars, willing to go anywhere. W. M., 157 East 47th.

CHAUFFEUR, refined, neat, experienced, desires private position. Martin, 119 East 80th St.

CHAUFFEUR, 7 years' experience; private, city or country. B 1063 Times Harlem.

COMPANION, traveling, to gentleman; young man, 20, wishes to serve in that capacity; at liberty 6 months; best references. F 139 Times.

COOK, Chinese, wants position, private family; excellent cook. Telephone Murray Hill 1487.

CORRESPONDENT, young man, experienced sales, collections; La Salle student. F 681 Times Downtown.

COUPLE—Young, Finnish, want employment in family; wife experienced maid; good plain cook; good references. Address J. H., 18 Times.

COUPLE, colored, refined; chauffeur, butler, cook; experienced; references. B 1066 Times Harlem.

CREDIT MANAGER AND EXECUTIVE.

A man with 10 years' broad experience in constructive credit work and corporation finance is available for similar position or as assistant to busy executive; expert accountant and systematizer; age 35, married, Christian; highest credentials.

F 991 Times Downtown.

CREDIT and office manager, 18 years' experience with very large concern, checked fifteen millions per year, seeks connections reliable concerns only; can do big things; A1 credentials. M 598 Times.

CREDIT MAN-OFFICE MANAGER, college graduate, 12 years' experience general merchandise line; credentials, character, ability. D 586 Times.

CUTTER (Shirts)—Experienced foreman desires change; can mark and cut; understands thoroughly the manufacturing end; best references. B 1018 Times Annex.

DRAUGHTSMAN, 7 years' experience machine and airplane design. D 878 Times Downtown.

DRAFTSMAN, mechanical designer; 5 years' experience engineering, training; moderate. G 582 Times.

DRAFTSMAN, press tools and general, college and shop experience. E 548 Times.

EXECUTIVE, EXPERIENCED IN ENGINEERING, CONSTRUCTION MANUFACTURING AND FINANCE, TECHNICAL GRADUATE, MEMBER AMERICAN SOCIETY CIVIL ENGINEERS, AMERICAN SOCIETY MECHANICAL ENGINEERS, EXCELLENT REFERENCES, DESIRES POSITION AS MANAGER OR ASSISTANT MANAGER FOR SUBSTANTIAL GOING BUSINESS, EITHER COMMERCIAL OR INDUSTRIAL; PERSONAL INTERVIEW REQUESTED. F 141 TIMES.

EXECUTIVE IN TEXTILES.

Gentleman seeks position with finisher of cotton goods; 20 years' experience in Lancashire, England; good knowledge of bookkeeping, can deal with correspondence and handle men; thorough knowledge of colored goods. G 577 Times.

EXECUTIVE, possessing experience in credits, collections, correspondence, general office manager, desires position with reliable concern with prospect of advancement. D 894 Times Downtown.

EXECUTIVE MANAGER for distribution high-class bonds and preferred stocks; salary $12,000 and commission. Y 2011 Times Annex.

EXECUTIVE'S ASSISTANT, 50, experienced meeting business men, detail, office management, wants to assist busy man. E 532 Times.

GENTLEMAN, Scandinavian, 33, good education, thorough knowledge Scandinavian languages, English, German, good knowledge French, stenographer, typist, desires permanent or temporary position. M 109 Times.

HOUSEMAN, Christian, willing, conscientious, desires position as houseman. M 94 Times.

INVESTIGATOR—For firm or corporation; services confidential; will work in any capacity. B 615 Times Downtown.

JOB PRESSMAN, age 23, desires permanent position. F 663 Times Downtown.

MAN (40), reliable and trustworthy, 5 years with last employer, can and willing to do anything, has been in charge of Public Library bldg., also in charge of shipping dept. with large export cotton house, wishes position with reliable people, city or country; highest references. S 190 Times.

MAN, college, 21, energetic, trustworthy, desires permanent position with firm offering opportunity for advancement. G 530 Times.

MAN—Have much spare time in my long-established business; what can I do for you? Something where trust is absolutely essential. B 613 Times Downtown.

MAN, 33, desires position; electrical experience. M 104 Times.

OFFICE MANAGER or executive, college graduate, 8 years' business experience manufacturing, printing, publishing, accustomed to supervision of large clerical force, employment, modern business methods, &c., seeks opening with progressive organization where there is unlimited opportunity for constructive work and where ambition and industry will be duly rewarded; available Jan. 1. D 874 Times Downtown.

PAINTER, Decorator and Upholsterer wishes to get general contracts; regular prices cut in half during present business depression; best references; work guaranteed. D Kelleher, 487 Snediker Av., Brooklyn, N. Y.

PHYSICIAN, ex-Naval surgeon, experienced, desires connection, assistant; industrial. M 103 Times.

PORTER or messenger, colored; best references. A 1090 Times Harlem.

REPRESENTATIVES—Do you want a clean cut, wide awake man, 31 years, to take care of your interests in Oklahoma; am open to a proposition which will compensate my best efforts and undivided attention. Robert W. McMorran Jr., 604 South Frisco Av., Tulsa, Okla.

SALES MANAGER.

Sales manager of firm with national distribution desires position of sales manager or assistant, where earnings for first year will be $3,600, with opportunity for future; ability will be proven; reason for change, no future. D 879 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN, experienced all around, representing large handkerchief house in New York City, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, &c., desires to represent another good account not conflicting. Address Hamilton, 115 Franklin St., New York, N. Y.

SALESMAN, MANAGER.

Man, outside, inside, familiar with import from Europe, seeks connection with reliable firm; fluent in English and German. F 136 Times.

SALES MANAGER, assistant, original and forceful correspondent, desires connection, live specialty house; experienced automotive accessories. F 150 Times.

SALESMAN, with established territory in Western Penna. and Ohio; experienced in auto accessories. Mail your proposition to Y 2114 Times Annex.

SALESMAN with following among drug, stationery, jewelry trade Connecticut and Massachusetts, wishes to take substantial line Jan. 1. M 105 Times.

SALES EXECUTIVE, can organize mail order department; knowledge imports, exports; communism and drawing account. B 618 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN-BUYER, fifteen years' experience in jobbing women's wear woolens, desires connection with reliable concern. E 538 Times.

SALESMEN—Two high class specialty salesmen, transfirm disorganizing, are looking for new proposition. H 130 Times.

SALESMAN, will entertain traveling proposition, Gulf States; immediately available. G 589 Times.

SALESMAN, married, desires position; experienced. D. M. Wattel, 203 Av. F, Brooklyn.

SALESMAN, hardware and cutlery, 12 years' experience; line wire. M 10 Times.

SECRETARY—A man, 29 years of age; experienced and acquainted; not a stenographer. A 1095 Times Harlem.

SECRETARY, university man, excellent character, desires position. A 562 Times.

SHIPPING and stock clerk, packer, young man, 25, desires position; 8 years' experience; references. D 895 Times Downtown.

SUPERINTENDENT of country estate, experienced in general and landscape gardening, forestry, &c.; American citizen; single. F 439 Times.

STEWARD AND MANAGER, 22 years' experience; highest references. B 958 Times Downtown.

TAX SPECIALIST AND CONSULTANT.

Young man, 33, 5 years Government examiner, expert in all details of Federal and State income tax law, 2 years as consultant for large taxpayers; rapidly growing clientele; will entertain offers to act as consultant for accountants, attorneys or corporations desirous securing expert assistance. M 51 Times.

TIME STUDY MAN,

thoroughly qualified to organize department, machine shop, forge, wood working, general manufacturing plants. E 583 Times.

TRAFFIC MAN, railroad and industrial experience, transportation problems, claims. E 584 Times.

YOUNG MAN, age 29, college graduate, officer in U. S. Army overseas; can handle men; good experience auditing and accounting; present position unsatisfactory; do not expect large salary; must be good opportunity for advancement if proven satisfactory; do you want to try me? M 118 Times.

YOUNG MAN desires immediate employment in bank, brokerage house or other business firm; part outdoor work preferred if possible (no selling); can act in part as secretary, typewriter and bookkeeper; willing to start low salary. Address Secretary, Room 117, 20 West 45th.

YOUNG MAN, 19, wishes position any capacity, where honesty and ambition are appreciated, and ability will lead to a responsible position; high school education. Nat. Maslin, 302 Court St., Brooklyn.

YOUNG MAN, high school graduate, 3 years' export, general office experience; capable dictaphone correspondent; executive ability. R. Baradel, 1,642 East 10th St., Brooklyn.

YOUNG MAN, college and university education, 24, knowledge accounting, statistics, correspondence; 4 years' industrial experience. O 261 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 22, seeks clerical work evenings, 6 to 11; well educated; knows French, English, German; decidedly capable. V 658 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, 20, ambitious and conscientious worker; best references. M 575 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 21, good education, experienced in hosiery, desires position. Box 35, 324 Rockaway Av., Brooklyn.

YOUNG MAN, 28, Christian, experience on purchase record cards and checking invoices; references. M 107 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 28, neat and accurate, desires morning position; can drive a car. B 1065 Times Harlem.

YOUNG MAN, 22, do anything; 5 years' shipping, office, salesman experience with shirt house. M 108 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 28, thoroughly experienced office, knowledge of foreign languages, seeks position with future. Reis, 1,621 2d Av.

YOUNG MAN—Stenographer wishes to connect with wholesale house; knowledge of bookkeeping. M 113 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 24, bookkeeping and clerical work; experience. D 883 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, college education, executive ability; will tackle anything. M 111 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 21, high school education, desires position anything. M 101 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 23, college education, position shipping concern. A. B., 86 East 56th St.

YOUNG MAN desires active outdoor work evenings. M 62 Times.

HELP WANTED—Female.

ASSISTANT—Advertising agent needs as assistant a young woman possessing these qualifications: College education, knowledge of stenography or typewriting. Write, giving full particulars and experience, if any. S 212 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, EXPERIENCED, TO TAKE FULL CHARGE OF OFFICE OF PROMINENT WOOLEN HOUSE; STATE FULL PARTICULARS AS TO EXPERIENCE, REFERENCES AND SALARY. BOX 483, 209 CABLE BLDG.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced, thoroughly qualified to take complete charge of the office of a manufacturing concern; must be accurate and know modern accounting methods; good opportunity; give details in first letter. S 200 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced, with knowledge of stenography and typewriting; permanent position. Apply by mail only, B. Fechter, 753 Broadway.

BOOKKEEPER—Hotel experience, double entry, trial balance; state age, experience, salary. M 121 Times.

BOOKKEEPER-TYPIST, Christian firm; $30. Bureau of Business Requirements, 170 Broadway.

BOOKKEEPER-TYPIST, experienced, with dress jobber; permanent position. Box 486, 209 Cable Building.

BUYER WANTED.

FAMOUS & BARR CO., St. Louis, Mo., require the services of a buyer and manager for its department handling muslin underwear, kimonos, house dresses and aprons. Must be a woman experienced in handling and creating large volume of business. Apply in full confidence, giving past and present employment, salary expected, &c., direct to St. Louis.

BUYER WANTED AT ONCE.

GOWN BUYER.

A leading specialty shop of New England requires an expert gown buyer—one with unquestionable taste in choosing gowns and familiar with the New York markets; she must be a thorough executive capable of directing a large gown salon, and her appearance and personality must measure up to the standard of the department; salary to correspond. Y 2112 Times Annex.

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STENOGRAPHER, young lady, in trust company, located on New Jersey Central R. R., a few miles from New York City; reply in own handwriting, giving references and salary expected; good opportunity to experienced operator. Y 2012 Times Annex.

STENOGRAPHER-BOOKKEEPER and office assistant; not under 25 years of age; for factory office; $25 to start; write giving full details, references, 510 East 22d, 6th floor.

STENOGRAPHER and typist wanted by secretary of large corporation; must be neat in appearance, accurate, willing and have knowledge of filing; Christian concern. S 209 Times.

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STENOGRAPHER and telephone operator; must have experience; state salary; references. H 127 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, beginner, if possible high school graduate; $15 to start; must be capable. W 918 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, real estate experience preferred; no beginner; give full information in reply. S 218 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, rapid, publishing house; good English essential. Room 904, 51 Chambers St.

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STENOGRAPHER, experienced, with knowledge of bookkeeping. Inquire 607 West 40th, Saturday, between 11 and 1.

STENOGRAPHER with knowledge of bookkeeping; importer. T 486 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, experienced; downtown Brooklyn. W 941 Times Downtown.

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TYPIST AND CLERICAL WORKER; CHRISTIAN FIRM; STATE EXPERIENCE AND SALARY; LOCATION MIDTOWN WEST. F 475 TIMES.

TYPIST—Prominent real estate firm requires an experienced typist to assist in records department; need not be stenographer. W 910 Times Downtown.

TYPIST, with knowledge of bookkeeping wanted for real estate office. Apply Sharp & Co., 2,489 Broadway.

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WOMAN, well educated, teaching experience preferred, to place approved supplementary school plan in or near New York; guaranteed salary $1,600 to start, also commissions; average worker earning $35 to $90 per week. M 68 Times.

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BANK CLERKS, individual ledger bookkeeper and rack clerk, receiving teller's department, wanted; uptown bank; state age, experience and salary expected. A 1246 Times Bronx.

BOOKKEEPER, hotel experience, double entry, trial balance; state age, experience and salary. M 120 Times.

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BOOKKEEPER—A large metal manufacturing company desires the services of a bright, all-around double entry bookkeeper; one who is able to take charge of the books and handle all details that may be delegated to him. Apply 9 A. M., 1,265 Broadway, Room 820.

BOOKKEEPER and right hand man, by importer Chinese textiles, with experience import or export, knowledge foreign trade, banking, ability to wait on customers; hard work and lots of it; an opportunity for the man that fits. E 577 Times.

BOOKKEEPER - TYPIST, assistant, young man, must be accurate and quick handling cash; wholesale fish market; state salary expected and references. W 927 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER for architect's office; young man familiar with architect's and builder's business; Christian concern. Address, giving reference and salary required, W 924 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced, double entry, with experience in large wholesale clothing and textile industries; give details of experience, age, salary. G 585 Times.

BOOKKEEPER; one able to manage office with several assistants. State age, experience and salary. D 887 Times Downtown.

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BOYS, 16-18 years, stock, apprentice salesmen; permanent positions; excellent opportunity for advancement. Apply by letter only, stating experience and salary desired, Revillon Freres, 670 5th Av.

BOY, about 16, bright, honest, industrious, for office and errands, lace manufacturing concern; good opportunity. Write, giving full particulars and salary desired. T. D., 286 Times Downtown.

BOY, intelligent, for errands and office work; must be of good appearance and ambitious to advance. Apply 279 Broadway, 3d floor.

BOY wanted to assist in the office of a downtown commercial house; salary $13; steady position; state qualifications. B 969 Times Downtown.

BOYS, 16-17 wanted for bank messengers and inside work. Apply between 10 and 11 A. M. to Mr. Peck, 7th floor, 816 1st Av.

BOYS—Good future possibilities with downtown insurance company. Write salary, age, V 661 Times Downtown.

BOY, age 15 or 16, Christian firm, silk importers; good salary; opportunity for advancement. Call Room 391, 1 Madison Av.

BOY wanted by financial house; $10 start. Room 202, 147 4th Av.

BUYER wanted for men's clothing department. M. Goldenberg, Washington, D. C. Apply either in person, 208 5th Av., New York, Thursday and Friday, or letter to Washington, D. C. All communications strictly confidential.

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CLERK, experienced in electric railroad statistics and accounts. B 938 Times Downtown.

CLERK on orders and to assist bookkeeper; must be good penman; typist preferred. Y 2087 Times Annex.

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Electrical engineer with from 4 to 7 years experience in design of direct current motors and generators of sizes below 5 HP. State age, education, experience, married or single, and salary expected. Excellent opportunity for man with proper characteristics. Address D. L. Sawhill, Engineering Dept., Westinghouse Elec. & Mfg. Co., East Pittsburgh, Pa.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—ALL PERSONS are hereby notified that I will not be responsible for any debts incured by my wife, Esta Erdreich. Dated, New York, Dec. 7, 1920. SAM ERDREICH.

THE PALACE AUTO AND MOTOROCYCLE Supply Company, Inc., sold its accessory store at 202 West 101st St. to L. Ranzenhofer, Creditors present claims to E. Emerson, at 202 West 101st St., until Dec. 20th.

JOSEPH L. KALLUS ANNOUNCES HIS severance of all connections with the Mutual Doll Co. of New York City.

Army Orders and Assignments.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The War Department published the following orders today:

Ordnance Department.

Lieut. Cols. Herring, H. T., and Beams, F. C.; Majors—Thompson, G. W.; Bonar, O.; Daly, M. H.; Chamberlain, P. M.; Sears, A. K.; Taylor, H. W., and Fiske, C. E. Captains—Dingee, G. A.; Collins, T. A.; Clapp, S. H.; Briggs, R. B.; Bell, J. P.; Gilmore, J.; Gebelen, J.; Clark, H. A.; Williams, S.; Francis, J. W., and Carter, H. D., and Cockburn, A. H.; and First Lieuts.—Runyan, W. W.; Goho, R. E.; Hayes, J. A.; Cole, C. W.; Carr, H. B., and Edmiston, W. H., hon. discharged.

Quartermaster Corps.

Mortimer, Maj. C. G., to Camp Holabird and assume command of that sta.

Graves, Maj. E. V.; Brockmann, Capt. A.; Hannum, Capt. E. F., hon. discharged.

Cooke, Capt. L. I., to duty as Asst. to Depot Qm., San Fran.

Everts, Capt. W. S., to San Diego Barr., as Qm., South Cal. Border Dist.

Weirbach, Capt. C. D.; Swallow, Capt. W. A., to duty in office of Q. M. G.

Woodyard, Capt. T. W., to Camp Taylor, as Qm.

Doran, 1st Lt. W. T., to Paris.

Whippler, 1st Lt. F. B., to office of Qm.G.

McShane, 1st Lt. A. J., to Paris.

Medical Corps.

Sawtelle, Maj. H. F., to Camp Meade.

Van Buren, Maj. F. A., report by telegraph to Cmdg. Gen., 8th Area, Ft. Houston, for assignment.

Jones, Maj. G. B., to Camp Sherman.

Scrutchfield, Maj. G. E., to Camp Grant.

Noyes, Maj. E. A., to Letterman Hosp., duty.

Vreeland, Maj. C. Le F.; Goodman, Maj. A. R., hon. discharged.

Kirkwood, Capt. R. C., to Jefferson, Barr., Mo.

Field Artillery.

Taliaferro, Maj. L. H., to Ft. Sheridan.

Bank, Maj. C. C., to Ft. Sill.

Eneboe, Capt. E. T., to 2d, Camp Knox.

Boylan, 1st Lt. P. C., to 77th, Camp Lewis.

Cavalry.

Clark, Col. W. F., will report to Adjt. Gen. of Army for instructions.

Lutz, Maj. H. C., to Walter Reed Hosp., sick.

Chase, 1st Lt. C. R., to 2d, Ft. Riley.

Foelsing, 1st Lt. W., to 3d, Ft. Myer.

Air Service.

Fechet, Lt. Col. J. E., as member of Aero. Bd., vice Col. N. A. Nugent, C. A. C., relieved.

Fuller, Lt. Col. A. L., as member of Aero. Bd., vice Maj. H. W. Harms, A. S., relieved.

Dental Corps.

Olson, 1st Lt. C. C., to Ft. Des Moines.

Rayman, 1st Lt. S. T., to Camp Dix.

Miscellaneous.

Vose, Maj. R. E., and Erck, Maj. A. H., to Walter Reed Hosp., sick.

Lee, Maj. A., relieved from further active duty.

McCleery, Capt. H. R., San. Corps., hon. discharged.

Leaves.

Noyes, Maj. E. A., M. C., 1 mo. 15 days.

Waddill, Maj. E. C., Inf., 21 days.

Selleck, Maj. C. A., F. A., 15 days' ext.

Dodge, Capt. E. J., Inf., 2 mos.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The Atlantic storm was centred some distance off the Middle Atlantic Coast Thursday night moving northeastward. It has been attended by strong northeast winds, gales and rain within the last twenty-four hours along the Middle Atlantic and South New England Coasts. Another disturbance of slight intensity had its centre over Wisconsin Thursday night and it was attended by cloudy and unsettled weather in the upper lake region and the central valleys with light rain in the Lower Ohio and the Central Mississippi Valleys.

Another disturbance of wide extent covered the North Rocky Mountain and Plateau regions and the Pacific States and rain fell Thursday in the Pacific States from Central California northward.

The temperature was below normal Thursday night in the South Atlantic and East Gulf States and approximately normal over nearly all other sections.

The outlook is for cloudy weather in the States east of the Mississippi River Friday and probably Saturday and rain or snow is probable Friday in portions of New England, Northern and Western New York and the Upper Ohio Valley.

The temperature changes will not be important.

FORECAST TODAY AND SATURDAY.

New Jersey—Cloudy Friday and probably Saturday; not much change in temperature.

Northern New England—Cloudy Friday and Saturday; probably snow in Maine Friday; warmer in Vermont Friday.

Southern New England — Cloudy Friday; probably snow or rain in Eastern Massachusetts. Saturday cloudy; not much change in temperature.

Eastern New York—Cloudy Friday and Saturday; probably light snow or rain in north portion; not much change in temperature.

Western New York—Unsettled and warmer Friday; probably light rain or snow. Saturday cloudy.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at 11 P. M., taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

	1920.	1919.		1920.	1919.
3 A. M.	34	43	4 P. M.	40	52
6 A. M.	36	43	6 P. M.	38	50
9 A. M.	38	44	9 P. M.	38	50
12 M.	39	47	11 P. M.	33	49

This thermometer is 414 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 38; for the corresponding date last year it was 47; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 36. The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 37; at 8 P. M. it was 39. Maximum temperature, 41 degrees at 3 P. M.; minimum, 33 degrees at 2 A. M. Humidity, 68 per cent. at 8 A. M.; 67 per cent. at 8 P. M. The barometer at 8 A. M. yesterday registered 30.18 inches; at 8 P. M. it stood at 30.04 inches.

Fire Record.

A. M.		Loss.
1:05–229	W. 52 St.	Not given
1:20–635	E. 134 St.; Vaccaro Bros.	Not given
1:40–367	W. 51 St.; H. Sider	Not given
4:30–205	8 Av.; Weiser Bros.	Not given
7:50–1,524	Hoe Av.; Joseph Rosenstein	Not given
8:05–146	West St.; Hyman Badlich	Not given
8:55–609	W. 84 St. (auto)	Not given
9:45–120	Delancey St.; Mrs. Lamon	Not given
10:30–199th St. & Bainbridge Av.		Not given
10:35–29	City Hall Pl.; Evening Mail	Not given
11:30–367	Wadsworth Av.; A. Atwood	Not given
11:50–131	W. 135 St.; Mail Parker	Not given
P. M.		
1:25–261	W. 153 St.; Joseph Drum	Not given
3:05–309	W. 41 St.; Charles Green	Not given
4:15–3,731	Olinsville Av.; Charles Beasley	Not given
5:10–16	Water St.; D. Saks	Slight
6:10–9	E. 12 St.; Advance Embroidery Co.	Not given
6:15–220	W. 19 St.; Elite Button Works	Not given
6:15–1,227	Boston Rd.; John Van Buren	Slight
6:35–185	Clinton St.; Morris Engelmeyer	Slight
6:50–71	W. 23 St.; J. Rose	Not given
7:15–192½	Delancey St.	Not given
7:55–26	E. 4 St.; Gilles & Truchter	Not given
8:10–120	Franklin St.; Bear Mills	Not given
9:50–325	W. 17 St.; B. Greenfield	Not given
10:00–67	1 Av.; D. Adler	Not given

Naval Orders.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The Bureau of Navigation published the following orders today:

Thomas, Cmdr. T. A., to Destroyer Flotilla 5 Atl. Flt.

Towers, Cmdr. J. H., to command the Mugford.

Vincent, Cmdr. R. W., to command the Nitro.

Hines, Lt. J. C., to Destroyer Force, Alt. Fleet.

Shannon, Lt. J., to the Columbia.

Stewart, Lt. F. H., to Bur. Med. and Surg. Navy Dept., Wash.

Strawbridge, Lt. B. F., to Navy Yard, Phila.

Coast Guard Orders.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—This Coast Guard order has been gazetted:

Chalker, Cmdr. J. H., placed on retired list, having reached age of 64 years.

Marine Corps Orders.

Special to the New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—These Marine Corps orders have been promulgated:

Hall, Col. N. H., to Hdqrs M. C., Washn.

Berry, Maj. B. S., to Quantico.

Adams, Maj. R. E., to active duty from date of retirement as Judge Adv. Gen. court-martial, Navy Y., N. Y.

Melville, Capt. G., to the U. S.

Leach, Capt. L. L.; Raymond, 1st Lt. T. H., to Mar. Detat., the Minnesota.

Moore, Capt. J. T., to Hingham, Mass.

Connor, Capt. A., to Mare Id., Cal.

Pendleton, Capt. R. S., to Norfolk, Va.

Emery, 1st Lt. C. L.; Adams, 1st Lt. C., resignation accepted.

Hopke, 1st Lt. G. W., 6 mos. sick leave.

Double, 1st Lt. L. B., to Mar. Barrs., Key West, Fla.

Kendrick, 1st Lt. T. E., to Hosp., Ft. Lyon, Col.

Maguire, 1st Lt. J., to 2d Brig., D. R.

The Civil Service.

City.

Applications for mechanical draftsman, sanitary, grade C, will be received until 4 P. M. today. Candidates must be at least 21 years of age. The subjects and weights of the examination will be: Experience, 4; technical, 5; citizenship, 1. A qualifying physical test will be given. Candidates must have had at least three years' experience as mechanical draftsman or engineer in activities in design or installation. There are several vacancies in the Education Department at $2,470 a year each.

United States.

The commission announces an examination to close Dec. 28 for oil gauger, male, 20 to 70 years of age, at the Pawnee Indian Agency, Oklahoma, at $1,200 to $1,500 a year. Appointees may be allowed the increase granted by Congress of $20 a month. Competitors will not be required to report for examination at any place, but will be rated on physical ability, 10; education, training and experience, 90. Applicants must have completed at least the first eight grades of common school or equivalent education, and have had at least one year's actual experience in oil and gas operations, including the gauging of wells. In view of the retirement act, at the request of an appointing officer, certification will not be made of eligibles who have reached their 55th birthday. Classified employes who have reached the retirement age and have served fifteen years are entitled to retirement with an annuity.

Estates Appraised.

HARBECK, SOPHIE C. (June 27, 1918). Total assets $30,298, real estate $8,953, equity in the home, 306 Lexington Avenue $7,928, personal $16,309, which includes jewelry appraised at $4,654, stock and bonds $5,036, net estate $27,497. The estate goes in equal shares to her children, Charles J., Helen and Mildred.

BUDELL, LOUIS W. (at Westfield, N. J., Dec. 31, 1919). Total estate $65,000. Taxable in New York $10,000. The whole estate goes to the estate of Louis A. Budell Corporation of Westfield.

WHIPPLE, CORA L. (in Bridgeport, Conn., Dec. 28, 1919). Total estate $26,688. Taxable in New York $14,145. Two sisters and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Viola F. Martin of Bridgeport, Mrs. George W. Fuller of Springfield, Mass., and Mrs. Evelyn E. Whipple of Bridgeport, receive $1,000 each; the First Baptist Church, Bridgeport, $2,000; Baptist Sterling Widows' Home, Bridgeport, $500; Woman's American Home Mission Society and the same for foreign missions, 276 Fifth Avenue, New York, $1,000 each; Connecticut Baptist Convention, Hartford, $1,000; Baptist Ministers' Home, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., $500; her sons, Ralph H. and Nathan H. of 115 Yale Street, receive one-half of the remainder each.

U. S. SUPREME COURT.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—In the Federal Supreme Court today these proceedings were had:

115—I. S. Workin et al, piffs., vs. the U. S.—Submitted.

117—St. Louis and San Francisco Ry. Co., piff., vs. the Public Service Comm. State of Mo.—Submitted.

206—The U. S., piff., vs. J. H. Strang et al—Argued.

442—The U. S. appit., vs. S. Field, as exr., &c.—Argument commenced.

460—V. L. Berger et al vs. the U. S.—Argument commenced.

ADJOURNED UNTIL TOMORROW.

Call for Dec. 10—Nos. 65, 111, 112, 114, 116, 118, 121, 122, 123 and 125.

SHIPPING AND MAILS

THE TIDES.

	Sandy Hook. A. M.	Sandy Hook. P. M.	Governors Island. A. M.	Governors Island. P. M.	Hell Gate. A. M.	Hell Gate. P. M.
High water	7:20	7:47	7:54	8:20	10:01	10:34
Low water	1:11	1:51	1:44	2:25	4:10	4:39

THE SUN.

	Rises. A. M.	Sets. P. M.
	7:09	4:29

Incoming Steamships.

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Steamer.	From.	Sailed.
Emmanuele Accame	Norfolk	Dec. 7
Conde	Cardiff	Nov. 25
Hambleton Range	Leith	Nov. 18
Henry County	Horta	Nov. 27
Porto Rico	Mayaguez	Dec. 2
Gulf Queen	Port Arthur	Nov. 20
Boswell	Cardiff	Nov. 24
Columbia	Glasgow	Nov. 28
Malacca Maru	Antwerp	Nov. 19
Waldenburg	Muscat	Oct. 26
Lake Festina	Lisbon	Nov. 17
Filippo Artelli	Norfolk	Dec. 7
Oscar II	Copenhagen	Nov. 26

DUE TODAY.

Washington Maru	Gibraltar	Nov. 17
City of Benares	Cape Town	Oct. 28
Frankmur	Rio Janeiro	Nov. 16
Garfield	Callao	Nov. 20
Asia	Glasgow	Nov. 27
Maine	London	Nov. 24
Landvard	London	Nov. 22
Rosalind	Halifax	Dec. 6
Wheaton	Flushing	Nov. 22

DUE TODAY.

Eastern Sea	Glasgow	Nov. 24
Turrialba	Colon	Nov. 28
Duca d'Aosta	Genoa	Nov. 24
Gen. W. C. Goethals	Colon	Dec. 3
Philadelphia	Curacao	Dec. 2
Nicholas Cuneo	Port Antonio	Dec. 6
Caldas	Kingston	Dec. 3
Caroline	Hamburg	Nov. 25
Themistocles	Piraeus	Nov. 24
Mongolia	Vigo	Dec. 2

DUE TOMORROW.

Aquitania	Southampton	Dec. 4
Norwich City	Barry	Nov. 28
Orient City	Barry	Nov. 28
Fort Hamilton	Bermuda	Dec. 9
Adriatic	Southampton	Dec. 1
Essequibo	Callao	Nov. 27
Ferdinando Palasciano	Naples	Nov. 27

DUE SUNDAY.

Presidente Wilson	Naples	Nov. 30
Ulua	Colon	Dec. 5
Buenos Aires	Cadiz	Dec. 3

Outgoing Steamships Carrying Mail

SAIL TODAY.

Steamer. Destination.	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.	Carries Mail For
Stavangerfjord, Bergen	10:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.	Norway, Sweden, Finland.
Maraval, Trinidad	7:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	Venezuela, Guiana.
Guiana, St. Thomas	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	West Indies, Demarara.
Advance, Haiti	12:00 M.	4:00 P.M.	Central America.

SAIL TOMORROW.

Celtic, Liverpool	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Europe, Africa, West Asia.
Finland, Antwerp	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Belgium, Belgian Congo.
Rotterdam, Rotterdam	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Holland, Germany.
Lorraine, Havre	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	France, Italy, Switzerland.
Beursplein, Hamburg	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	Germany, Austria.
Pastores, Colon	8:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Central America.
Moliere, Buenos Aires	8:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Brazil, Argentina.
Grove, Kingston	8:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Central America.
Morro Castle, Havana	8:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Cuba.
Coamo, San Juan	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Porto Rico.
Huron, Turks Island	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Santo Domingo.
Servian Prince, Buenos Aires	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	Santos, Argentina, Uruguay, Paraguay.

SAIL SUNDAY.

Michael, Para	6:00 A.M.	9:00 A.M.	North Brazil, Iquitos.

SAIL MONDAY.

Ft. Hamilton, Hamilton	7:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	Bermuda.

SAIL TUESDAY.

Old North State, London	8:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	Europe, Africa, West Asia.
Aquitania, South'pton	8:00 P.M.	12:00 M.	Europe, Africa, West Asia.
Britannia, Lisbon	8:00 P.M.		Azores, Portugal (by rail to Providence).
Egba, Dakar	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	West Africa.
Rosalind, St. John's	7:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	Newfoundland.
Turrialba, Cristobal	8:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	Jamaica, Salvador, &c.

Other Outgoing Steamships

Steamer & Destination.	Time of Sailing. Date.	Hour.
Langley, Antwerp	Dec. 10	10:00 A.M.
Arnsworth, Hamburg	Dec. 10	12:00 M.
West Grania, Genoa	Dec. 10	12:00 M.
Port Denison, Australia	Dec. 14	12:00 M.
West Harlan, Greece	Dec. 15	12:00 M.
Waukau, Barcelona	Dec. 15	10:00 A.M.
Boswell, Buenos Aires	Dec. 15	11:00 A.M.
Riverside Bridge, Varna	Dec. 16	12:00 M.
Ohioan, San Francisco	Dec. 16	10:00 A.M.
Clan MacIntyre, Java	Dec. 16	12:00 M.
Teenkai, Batavia	Dec. 16	11:00 A.M.
Calcutta Maru, Kobe	Dec. 16	12:00 M.
Suwa Maru, Manila	Dec. 16	10:00 A.M.
Bristol City, Bristol	Dec. 16	12:00 M.

Foreign Ports—Arrivals and Departures.

ARRIVED.

Steamer.	At.	Date.
Santa Teresa	Antofagasta	Dec. 4
Tenafly	Santos	Dec. 4
Persian Prince	Karatau	Dec. 6
Clan Macbean	Port Said	Dec. 7
Honorata	Auckland	Dec. 7

SAILED.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Panaman	Alexandria	Dec. 6
Maindy Court	Gibraltar	Dec. 6
Moravian Bridge	Southampton	Dec. 7
Iceland	Brisbane	Dec. 7
Bradford City	Plymouth	Dec. 8
Baltic	Liverpool	Dec. 8

PASSED.

Trafford Hall, New York for Bombay, passed Gibraltar.

Transpacific Mails.

Connecting mails close at G. P. O. and City Hall Stations at 6 P. M. as follows:

Tahiti, Marquesas, Cook Islands and specially addressed mail for New Zealand and Australia, via San Francisco	Tofua	Dec. 10
Hawaii, via San Francisco	Maui	Dec. 10
Hawaii, Fiji Islands, New Zealand and Australia, via Vancouver and Victoria, B. C.	Makura	Dec. 10
Japan, Korea, China, Siberia, Siam, French Indochina, Netherlands East Indies (except Sumatra) and Philippine Islands, via Vancouver and Victoria, B. C.	Empress of Asia	Dec. 11
China and specially addressed mail for Japan and Korea, via Seattle	West Nomentum	Dec. 12
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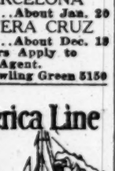

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Ex-Bank Messenger Testifies Arnstein Always Met Him and "Nick" Cohn.

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Witness Describes Trips of Trio to Washington, Boston, Philadelphia and Baltimore.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Continuing his testimony in the trial of Jules W. (Nicky) Arnstein and others, charged with conspiring to bring stolen securities into the District of Columbia, Joseph Gluck, former bank messenger in New York, today described visits he made to Boston, Philadelphia and Baltimore to dispose of blocks of securities obtained by him from Wall Street runners. "Nick" Cohn, the missing defendant, went with him, Gluck said, and they met Arnstein at their destination in each case.

The witness said that Arnstein was introduced to him as a man who had outlets for stolen securities all over the United States and in Canada and that Cohn had suggested Chicago among other cities as a place for placing some of the stocks. The possibility of a trip to Europe to dispose of large quantities of the stolen securities also was suggested at one time.

On cross-examination the defense brought out that Gluck had taken part in several similar transactions before he had met any of the defendants and that his visit to the Wall Street district on Oct. 1, when a particularly valuable lot of securities were handed to him, was made with the knowledge that efforts would be made to steal some stocks and bonds.

Gluck testified that a flat payment of 8 per cent. on the market value of the securities turned over by him was promised, and that he received, in all, $3,500 from the lot brought to Washington on Oct. 14. On a trip to Boston he met Cohn and Arnstein and turned over to the former 100 shares of American Smelters preferred, 100 shares of common of the same company, two $1,000 bonds of the Iowa Central Railroad, and 200 shares of Ohio Cities Gas. He said he received "between $2,000 and $3,000" as his share of the proceeds.

The witness testified further that he met Cohn and Arnstein in Philadelphia last Nov. 2 or 3, when he delivered 200 shares of Crucible Steel and "odd lots" of Baldwin Locomotive.

John S. Hamilton, Vice President of the Pacific Bank of New York, identified Arnstein as the man he had known since 1918 as J. W. Arnold, with an account at the bank for several years. The witness said the Arnold account had a balance of $12.42 on Sept. 30, but during October the record showed numerous deposits of $1,000 and $2,000. It was during this period, the prosecution alleges, that the stolen bonds were being sold.

FARMERS ADVISED NOT TO REDUCE CROPS

Speakers at International Congress Predict New Era—Hoover Outlines Needs.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 9.—Farmers face an era which will be marked by a steady improvement in marketing conditions, despite the present discouraging low price of farm products, speakers declared here today at the opening session of the Fifteenth Annual International Farm Congress.

Confidence in the future of the industry was expressed and farmers were warned of the danger of cutting production. Marketing of products on hand rather than future production plans was the principal subject of discussion.

Condemnation of the conditions which brought about the decline in prices of farm products was voiced by various speakers. Transportation was blamed by some for inability to market products when prices were higher and boards of trade generally were denounced for contributing to falling prices.

"Despite calamitous, low prices, a real era for the farmers is at hand," declared Dr. E. O. Lyman of Utah, Vice President, who directed the meeting in the absence of Senator Capper of Kansas, President.

A letter from Herbert Hoover, former Food Administrator, was read to the convention, outlining what he characterized as "the major needs of American agriculture."

His suggestions included:

"Peace with Europe and participation of the United States in preserving peace, that the economic life there may revive and again restore a demand for our surplus.

"Erection of international credit machinery by which we can enable Europe to buy.

"Abolition of consolidated buying and this control of our farm prices by European Governments."

These Mr. Hoover classed as emergency measures. As permanent policies he suggested:

"A better marketing system so that all impediments to the free flow of the law of supply and demand may be removed.

"A better transportation system.

"A better adjustment of taxation so that the burden may be better shifted to non-essential expenditure.

"The development of a farm loan system in remedy of the tenant problem.

"The sane development of co-operative buying and selling among farmers."

BREWER IS REARRESTED.

Promoter of "Fun in France" Held on a New Charge.

William S. Brewer, who was recently arrested on a charge of using the mails to defraud through the sale of a magazine called A. E. F.; or Fun in France, pleaded not guilty before Federal Judge A. N. Hand yesterday. Then he was rearrested on a charge of procuring men to wear illegally the uniform of the military forces of the United States. On this charge he was held in $2,500 bail by United States Commissioner Hitchcock.

The second charge against Brewer followed the arrest on Tuesday night of three ex-service men who were selling Brewer's magazine in uniform. Two of the men, Harry Fass and Louis Mendelsohn, were sentenced to prison for thirty days each and the third, Harry Newman, for sixty days.

Boy Gets $40,000 for Loss of Eye.

Reginald Rowe, 17 years old, of 154 Fourth Avenue, Brooklyn, got a verdict for $40,000 yesterday before Supreme Court Justice Delehanty in a suit against the J. J. Little & Ives Co., printers, because he lost the sight of his right eye and sustained a fractured nose and other injuries when he was struck by a descending elevator last December. He has been under treatment in Bellevue Hospital ever since. His mother received $5,000.

Goes to New Rochelle Church Jan. 1

The Rev. Paul Gordon Favour, assistant at St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church and vicar of St. Bartholomew's Parish House, will sever his work there in time to begin on Jan. 1 as rector of Trinity Episcopal Church, New Rohcelle. Trinity Church was founded by the Huguenot settlers 111 years ago.

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